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DAILY GAZETTE.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—The Director General and members of the Finance and Executive Boards of the Centennial Commission visited the Cincinnati Exposition yesterday.

—Joseph Luby, who came to Columbus, Ohio, in 1818, and was for years a very prominent business man and for several terms County Treasurer, died in the Alms House on Friday, aged 78 years.

—A. E. Redstone, President of the National Labor Council, announces that the time for holding State conventions for the purpose of electing delegates to the National Convention has been extended to the 17th of October.

—At Carbondale, Ill., on Friday afternoon, Elkanoah H. Brush, of the firm of Brush & Cochrane, grocers, was shot by Samuel Anderson, the result of a quarrel. The bullet took effect in the left side, inflicting a dangerous, if not fatal, wound. Anderson is in jail. The feeling is very strong against the prisoner. The provocation was trifling.

—At the Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association, held in Germantown, Pa., on Friday, the Secretary of the International Committee stated that there are now 940 associations in the Union, 48 of which have buildings valued at $2,000,000, and 56 are accumulating funds amounting to $500,000. The banner state of the Association is Pennsylvania.

—As the fleet under Admiral Mullany was getting under way at Key West for New Orleans on Tuesday, the frigate Brooklyn ran ashore in the southwest channel. It was at first feared that she would be obliged to unship her guns before she could be got off, but by the united efforts of the Wachusett, Gettysburg, Geranium, Arbutus and the revenue cutter Wm. H. Seward, she was hauled off the reef.

—Orley Dew, of Nelsonville, Ohio, a boy fifteen years old, went hunting on Thursday with James Self, a boy nineteen years old. In the evening Self returned home alone, saying his companion had gone after cows, but would return soon. As young Dew did not return, his parents became alarmed, and upon making search, his dead body was found in a field, covered up with rubbish. A terrible wound in the shoulder and breast of the boy told the story of his death. Self told several contradictory stories, but finally admitted that during a struggle for the gun he shot Dew, but he says by accident. He has been placed under arrest.

FALL RIVER.

Inquest on the Granite Mill Disaster.

FALL RIVER, Mass., September 25.—The inquest on the Granite Mill disaster was resumed to-day. The Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph testified to the alarms sounded from different boxes at the same time becoming confused.

Thos. Walker, who escaped from the top story by a sky-light to the roof, and then let himself to the ground by a rope, testified that he went to the staircase as soon as the alarm sounded. He found escape in that direction already cut off by the flames and the fire coming up through the belt holes in the floor. He then obtained a step-ladder and got on the roof, though his companion was unable to do so. Not more than three minutes elapsed from the time he got the alarm of the fire to the time he was on the roof. There was one staircase and two elevators in the sixth story. The elevators could not be worked unless the engine was running.

Geo. H. Kelly, foreman of the Reindeer Hook and Ladder Company, stated that it seemed impossible to him to have saved any life with the ladders. He considered the extension ladder in use in this department, inefficient, and had notified the proper authorities of this fact. He thought if the ladders had been spliced to a sufficient length to reach the sixth story their own weight would have been as much as they would bear. He has often spoken to the Board of Engineers of this, telling them that the department had no ladders that would reach higher than a four story building and be serviceable.

James Sutcliffe, Assistant Foreman of the Reindeer Hook and Ladder Company, testified substantially the same as the foreman.

Kelley, a former chief of the fire department, testified that he thought if the ladders had been spliced to a sufficient length to reach the sixth story, it could not have been raised. He agreed with the other witnesses that if the extension ladder had been extended to its utmost it would not be safe for more than one or two persons to go on at a time.

I. O. O. F.

Grand Lodge of the United States.

ATLANTA, GA., September 25.—A petition of the Grand Lodge for a charter for Montreal Encampment No. 1 was granted. The following amendment to the Constitution was offered: To strike out "United States," so that the lodge be styled "Supreme Grand Lodge of American Odd Fellowship." Eulogies on deceased members were delivered.

To-day the Grand Lodge visited the Supreme Court of Georgia, and were banqueted by the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon.

STATE BREVITIES.

THE Mercer Fair was attended by 9,000 people on Thursday.

CHOLERA morbus is prevailing to an alarming extent in Altoona.

THE Erie & Pittsburgh Railroad Company are building a new engine house at the Pittsburgh docks in Erie.

TWENTY-ONE prisoners are now confined in the Washington county jail. More than ever before at one time.

THE dwelling of Mr. John Shields, near Hendersonville, Mercer county, was totally destroyed by fire on Monday of last week.

A BABE of nine months fell into a tub of boiling water at the Lafayette Hotel, Allentown, a few days ago, and was scalded to death.

THERE was a fire parade at Millerstown Wednesday, in which the Columbia hose of Parker, and Channon hose of Millerstown participated.

STANNISH TOCASKEY, a tailor, committed suicide in Sharon, on Saturday, by hanging himself to a rafter in the stable of Alex. Daws, his employer.

THE first exhibition of the Northwestern Fair Association, held at Erie last week, was largely attended, and proved to be a success throughout.

THE Synod of Pittsburgh of the Presbyterian Church will meet in the First church (Dr. Brownson's) of Washington on Friday, October 16th, and remain in session several days.

HETTIE NICKEY, of Fairchance, Fayette county, tried to fill a lighted lamp with oil a few days ago, as a matter of course the lamp exploded and Hettie was very badly burned, as was also her son James.

THE Board of Pardons, at Harrisburg, continue to receive petitions for the pardon of Underzook. No remonstrances against it are sent to them. No action has yet been taken. The Board meets October 9th.

AFTER a long season of enforced idleness at the Lackawana Iron and Coal company's works, at Scranton, superinduced by the all-pervading panic, several of the puddlers commenced work again at the new mill Thursday morning on the terms submitted to them a few day's previous, by the company—namely $3.50 per ton.

STATE SUPERINTENDENT WICKERSHAM has appointed Hon. John M. Broomall, of Delaware county, Capt. R. T. Cornwell, of Chester, Hon. Henry Carter, of Lancaster, and Prof. William Howard Day, of Harrisburg, a Board of Examiners to visit and inspect Lincoln University at Oxford, Chester county, and report as to its fitness to be recognized as a State Normal School.

THE Sharon *Times* says: On Friday last a child of Mr. J. C. Evans, of Neshannock was fatally scalded under the following distressing circumstances: The child—aged about seven months—was tied in a high chair, and in charge of a little girl, aged about thirteen years. While the attendant was looking for play things, the child leaned forward, by which the chair was upset and the child was thrown upon a teakettle which was sitting on the hearth of a stove. The vessel was upset and the boiling water poured out on the child's head, breast, arms and body, scalding it so severely that it died on Saturday, after suffering intense agony.

OIL ITEMS.

A NEW well on the Starr farm, Hayesville, near Petrolia, is doing about eighty barrels. Taylor & Satterfield are the owners.

THE "boss" well at Briswell City was torpedoed on Saturday, increasing its production to eight hundred barrels the next twenty-four hours, from which figure it has since declined greatly.

JENNINGS' well, on the Steele farm, half a mile west of the "boss," is pumping over fifty barrels, it was at first supposed to be a total failure, but at length the owners decided to introduce a torpedo, which had the effect of bringing it up to a fair average strike.

CUMMINGS, Hunter & McCullough's No. 3 well, on the Crawford farm, has encountered a volume of gas in the second sand. Their No. 2 is about through the stray sand, and should be completed in a day or two. Both these ventures are near the famous gusher on the Parker tract.

FROM Pitou circular of Sept. 22d we learn that the exports of oil for the week ending Sept. 21st amounted to the crude equivalent of 137,437 barrels, of which one half goes to north Germany. The charters still to load on the 21st of the month have a capacity for carrying 346,667 barrels, crude equivalent. The amount of exports for this year up to Sept. 21st is 128,221,344 galls. refined, as against 120,272,674 barrels, while the deficiency of crude oil exports this year below last amounts to 2,217,694 gallons.

FIRST EDITION.

NEW YORK.

Fire Insurance in Chicago.

Reception and Levee to the Irish Visitors.

Memoir of Events of the Late War by Gen. Sherman.

NEW YORK, September 25, 1874.

Fire Insurance in Chicago.

Thomas H. Montgomery, General Agent of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, says that the recent action of the Board recommending the withdrawal of the insurance business from Chicago was absolutely necessary as a protective measure. The authorities of Chicago had in some instances utterly ignored the requirements of the Board, and in others they had made spasmodic efforts at reform. The fire department was sadly lacking in discipline, and was controlled by politicians. It was true that the authorities had appropriated $250,000 for the construction and placing of water mains and fire hydrants, but the Water Engineer of the city, Chesebrough, asserts that $2,000,000 can be expended on that work alone.

Henry A. Oakley, President of the National Board, speaking on the same subject to a reporter, said, in reference to establishing permanent fire limits co-extensive with the city of Chicago, that the Common Council of Chicago had passed an ordinance to that effect, but that the Underwriters have very little confidence that it will be carried out, because the execution is left to the same persons who have refused to co-operate in their improvement. No business law has been passed. Nothing has been done with regard to changes in the fire department, and it remains under the same political influence. A few steamers were added, but this is not regarded as a great advantage while the discipline of the Department remains as it is. The call for an increase in the number and size of the water mains is one which the Board considers very important. The smallest sizes run through some of the leading business streets. The hydrants are numerous enough, but are useless when the means of supply are so inadequate. In regard to other requirements, the establishment of a Fire Marshal's Bureau and the removal of dangerous establishments, nothing whatever has been done. The Underwriters are not at all indisposed to remain in Chicago, provided means of defense against fire can be had, as all of them have large and valuable business connections which they are now compelled to sacrifice.

Temperance.

Rev. Patrick Ryan, President of the Catholic Temperance Union, to-day issued a call convening the National Executive Council and Board of Government at the Grand Pacific Hotel in Chicago on October 6, one day previous to the meeting of the National Convention. The Board comprises the National officers and Presidents of all State and Diocesan Unions. The object of the meeting is to deliberate on measures to be brought before the National Convention, including the question of the Centennial at Philadelphia.

Comparative Cotton Statement.

Net receipts at all United States ports for the week, 45,802 bales; last year, 38,842; total to date, 94,729; last year, 87,772. Exports for the week, 3,975; last year, 5,716; total exports to date, 15,156; last year, 26,597. Stock at all United States ports, 129,507; last year, 92,881; stock at all interior towns, 23,237; last year, 19,733; stock at Liverpool, 770,000; last year, 663,000; stock of American afloat for Great Britain, 14,000; same time last year, 8,000.

Reception and Levee to the Irish Visitors.

A reception and levee were given to the Lord Mayor of Dublin and party in the Governor's Room, in City Hall. There were present all the municipal authorities and city officials. Mayor Havemeyer made a brief address of introduction and formally presented the city's guest to those assembled, who greeted him with loud cheers. The Sixty-ninth Regiment band discoursed national and Irish airs. The levee lasted two hours.

Meeting of Locomotive Engineers.

The locomotive engineers of the various trunk lines and leading roads held a meeting in this city yesterday. They protested most earnestly against the reduction of wages at the present time, and expressed the opinion that the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company should restore the ten per cent. reduction made by them on the wages of the engineers last January.

Memoir of Events of the Late War by General Sherman.

General Sherman has written a memoir of events of the late war for publication after his death, with the exception of the last chapter, which, comprising his opinion on useful lessons derived therefrom, is published in the *Army and Navy Journal* to-day.

Army Reunion.

The Society of the Army of the James will hold their triennial reunion, in the Union League Theatre, in this city, October 21. General Butler will be the orator, and Dr. Holland the poet.

SPORTING NEWS

The Turf.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 25.—There was an immense attendance at Sacramento this afternoon to witness the trotting race for $5,000 between Occident, Sam Purdy and Blackbird. The latter drew the pole, Sam Purdy the second place, and Occident outside. The order was given at 1:40 to clear the track, when the horses were brought out. After scoring three or four times, a start was made. Occident took the first heat. Time, 2:21, Purdy second, Blackbird third.

In the second heat Occident took the pole, Purdy second, Blackbird outside. Occident won the heat. Time, 2:24¼, Blackbird second.

For the third heat, after scoring seven times, the horses got away. Purdy took the heat. Time, 2:25¼. Occident second.

Purdy won the fourth and fifth heats in 2:28 and 2:28¼.

NEW YORK, September 25.—The fall meeting of the Prospect Park closed to-day. Kitty D. won the concluding heat of yesterday's unfinished race in 2:27¼.

First race, purse $600, for horses that have never beaten 2:45. Falmouth Boy took the first and second heats; Arthur, who was the favorite, the third, fourth and fifth heats and race, Comee third. Time 2:33¼, 2:29¼, 2:35¼, 2:25¼ and 2:34¼.

Second race, purse $2,000 for horses that have never beaten 2:20. Fleety Golddust, 1, 1, 2, 2, 1; Sensation 2, 2, 1, 1, 2; Huntress, 3, 3, distanced. Time 2:23, 2:23, 2:23¼, 2:29 and 2:25¼.

THE CAPITAL.

WASHINGTON, September 25, 1874.

Decision by the Attorney General.

The Attorney General has decided that under section 5,293 of the revised statutes the Secretary of the Treasury has power to remit fines, penalties and forfeitures arising under any revenue law where the amount does not exceed $1,000 where there has been no summary inquiry and statement by the Judge, and also to remit fines, penalties and forfeitures arising under the laws relating to the registering, recording, enrolling or licensing of vessels when the amount does not exceed fifty dollars.

The Forged Firemen's Certificates.

Underwood and Hall, indicted on a charge of forging firemen's certificates, were acquitted to-day, the Court directing the jury to return a verdict of "not guilty." The District Attorney previously declared that he had utterly failed to prove his allegations.

Contractors' Certificates on File.

It was stated at the Contractors' Association to-day that the aggregate amount of certificates of the late Board of Public Works, now on file in the office of the Auditing Commission, is about $1,000,000, and that there is also nearly twice that amount in unmeasured work and accounts now due them on unfinished contracts, many of the latter being under suspension.

POLITICAL.

Nevada Republican State Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 25.—In the Nevada Republican State Convention held at Winnemucca yesterday, Dr. J. C. Hazlett was nominated for Governor, Bowman for Lieutenant Governor, Wm. Woodburn for Congress, Judge Beatty, of White Pine, for Supreme Judge, long term, and Warden Earl, of Elko, for the short term; Charles T. Bycknell for Supreme Court Clerk, J. D. Minor for Secretary of State, L. J. Hogle, of Eureka, for State Treasurer.

Mass Meeting of Colored Men in Charleston, S. C.

CHARLESTON, September 25.—A mass meeting of colored Republicans was called for last evening to ratify the nomination of Chamberlain for Governor. When the meeting assembled it became apparent that the sentiments were against Chamberlain. Congressman Rausier, one of the Independent Republican leaders, was elected chairman over the nominee of the regulars, Elliott. Chamberlain and others tried to be heard, but their voices were drowned by the cheering for Judge Green, Independent Republican candidate for Governor. As expected, resolutions ratifying the nomination of Chamberlain were not offered.

CHICAGO.

The Fire Insurance Question.

CHICAGO, September 25.—This afternoon the Executive Committee of the Citizens Association had a conference with the Board of Fire Commissioners with reference to a reorganization of the fire department. It was admitted by the Commissioners that certain reforms were desirable, but they deem it best to be assured that a change is for the better before making it. The committee of the Citizens Association suggested that Gen. Shaler, of New York, be invited to come to Chicago and make a thorough examination of all matters connected with the fire department and bearing upon the insurance question. The suggestion was readily accepted by the Fire Commissioners, and an invitation will be forwarded immediately to General Shaler.

NEW ORLEANS.

Gov. Kellogg's Abandonment of the State House Endorsed.

NEW ORLEANS, September 25.—The *Picayune* of to-day contains the following: "Even Kellogg is entitled to a fair hearing and defense against unjust imputations. One of these, proceeding from his party allies, is so patent and flagrant that we feel bound to say a word in his behalf. This is the charge of cowardice in the particular act of his abandonment of the State House before an advancing army of 10,000 citizens. In Washington City, and all over the North, the extreme radicals complain that he did not remain at the State House and meet the enemy at the threshold, sword in hand, and perish like a man in defense of his rights and Government. Those fugacious and mendacious personages, Messrs. West, Durrel, Lowell, Benham and Eats, are especially emphatic in their condemnation of the pusillanimity of Kellogg. It is quite a neat answer of Kellogg to all this cheap display of Spartan heroism, when, in his telegram to West, he regrets the absence of his sanguinary friends in the moment of his great peril. They would doubtless have constituted a strong body guard to support him in the reproduction, at the St. Louis Hotel, of that dismal and heroic tragedy in which Theodore of Abyssinia ended his career in a way worthy of an Emperor."

Reply to Senator Schurz's St. Louis Speech.

NEW ORLEANS, September 25.—Major General W. H. Emory, Commanding Department of the Gulf, New Orleans.—Sir: I beg to call your attention, first, to an extract of the speech of United States Senator Schurz at St. Louis last night, as follows: "He then referred to the fact that an election for a new Legislature is impending, and that the United States troops are there professedly to enforce the laws on that election; but whether they will be used impartially or not will depend upon who controls them. This will be in a great measure in the hands of the United States Marshal; Packard, who, besides being Marshal, was one of the principal accomplices of Judge Durell and Kellogg in the usurpation two years ago, and is now the managing spirit of the late Central Committee of the Kellogg party. This is not a fit person to control United States troops to be used in that election. It is of the highest importance that, especially under the existing circumstances, the people of Louisiana should not only have a fair election, but also that they should be made to feel that they have one. The past performances and present functions of Mr. Packard are not calculated to inspire confidence. I am sure the whole country would applaud an order from the President relieving Packard of his official duties and the substitution of a man of such character that everybody will believe him incapable of abusing his power for partisan ends."

Second, To the communication of the Committee of Seventy through R. H. Marr, chairman, to the President of the United States under date of September 8, 1874. [Here follows Packard's communication to Emory to the resolution and appeal protesting against placing at the disposal of the Attorney General the United States troops for the purpose of assisting the Marshal of the district, S. B. Packard, in carrying on prosecutions against the people of Louisiana, and requesting Packard's removal from office on account of his violent partisanship, &c.]

Mr Packard continues: My purpose in calling your attention to those matters is to inquire of you whether I have at any time, since you have been in command of the Department of the Gulf, used or attempted to use or control the United States troops for political purposes in any manner whatever, and also whether or not you have observed in our official relations and intercourse anything which in your opinion justifies the imputations and charges set forth by Senator Schurz and the Committee of Seventy.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
S. B. PACKARD, U. S. Marshal.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF, NEW ORLEANS, September 25, 1874.—S. B. Packard, Esq., U. S. Marshal—Sir: In reply to your note of this date, I here state emphatically that since I have been in command of this Department that you or no one else has used or attempted to use or control the United States troops for political purposes in any manner whatever. There has been nothing in any official relations to justify the charge that you design to use the troops for political purposes or have ever done so, and if you desire such an use, I do not see how you are to use them for any such purpose; for, be assured, any such attempt would be promptly and immediately resented by both officers and men. Those who make such charges are totally ignorant of the character of regular troops and the indignation that would attend any attempt to use them for political purposes.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
W. H. EMORY.

Official and Private Letters Seized by the McEneryites During the Late Riot.

NEW YORK, September 25.—The *Tribune* has the following special:

NEW ORLEANS, September 25.—On the day of the Penn *coup d' etat*, when the revolutionists seized the State House after Gov. Kellogg's retreat to the office of Marshal Packard, a large number of official and private letters were found in the archives of the office, and have since been in possession of citizens. Among these letters were a number which passed between Gov. Kellogg and prominent Congressmen. It has been freely intimated that they contained important revelations as to the manner in which the Louisiana case was managed in Washington with the view to seating Pinchback in the Senate and keeping Kellogg and his party in power. The *Tribune* representative succeeded to-day in seeing the originals and copies of several of the letters, and some are given herewith.

The first is from E. C. Billings, a Republican lawyer of this city, one of the counsel of George Kellogg while the Louisiana case was before Congress.

"Willard's Hotel, Washington, Dec. 3, 1874.—Dear Governor: Chandler, William E., is working with us, and he has worked with us nobly and more effectively than any one except Williams. He wished me to write to you about his fee. I would arrange the matter with him at the earliest moment possible.

"EDWARD C. BILLINGS."

The following were written when Senator Carpenter's Louisiana bill was before the Senate, and shortly before Congress adjourned:

"WASHINGTON, January 22, 1873.—My Dear Sir—I have just received yours of the 12th, having been out of town for ten days, and have accordingly drawn on you for $1,000. Did I state in a previous letter that of the draft of $2,000 which you sent me some time since I found it desirable to deliver $1,000 to Chandler? I am glad to see that all opposition to your administration is dying out and public confidence is being restored. I shall be happy to see you when you come here, and I remain yours truly.

"C. CUSHING.

"Hon. William Pitt Kellogg."

"Billings & Hughes, counsellors at law, No. 82 Custom House street, New Orleans, July 1, 1873.

"His Excellency—Dear Governor: I may leave for the North on Thursday, and if you are going to advance me anything in my fee in your case, you can hand it to Mr. Barrett, our common friend. I am truly yours,

"EDWARD C. BILLINGS."

"P. S.—I have hopes that you will make the payment as large as $5,000."

"Billings and Hughes, counsellors at law, No. 82 Custom House street, New Orleans, July 1st, 1873.—Received from Hon W. P. Kellogg $2,500 on account for professional services in the case of Kellogg against Warmoth *et al.*

"EDWARD C. BILLINGS."

WEATHER REPORT.

Local Observations.

OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER,
UNITED STATES SIGNAL SERVICE,
PITTSBURGH, PA., September 25, 1874.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Humid.	Wind	Weather.
7 A. M	30.24	56	93	SW	Foggy
2 P. M	30.11	82	35	S	Fair
9 P. M.	30.13	67	74	CALM	Fair

Mean Barometer, 30.15.
Mean Thermometer, 68.
Highest Thermometer, 85.
Lowest Thermometer, 55.

GEO. H. ROHE,
Sergt., Sig. Service, U. S. A., Observer.

Daily Bulletin.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATORY,
PITTSBURGH, September 25, 1874, 10:48 P. M.

The weather at Cairo was threat'g, thermometer 72; Cincinnati, fair, thermometer 73; Davenport, Iowa, cloudy, thermometer, 69; Indianapolis, Ind., fair, thermometer 73; Keokuk, Iowa, light rain, thermometer 68; Leavenworth, fair, thermometer 67; Louisville Ky., fair, thermometer 74; Memphis, light rain, thermometer 72; Nashville, Tenn., clear, thermometer 75; Omaha, Nebraska, fair, thermometer 64; Pittsburgh, Pa., fair, thermometer 63; Shreveport, La., fair, thermometer 73; St. Louis, cloudy, thermometer 72; Vicksburg, Miss., light rain, thermometer 72; Ft. Gibson, fair, thermometer 66; North Platte, fair, thermometer 60.

GEO. H. ROHE, Observer.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., Sept. 26, 1874.

Probabilities for To-Day.

Over New England and the Middle States, stationary or falling barometer, increasing cloudiness, somewhat higher temperatures, and southeast to southwest winds.

BOSTON.

Meeting of Cotton Manufacturers.

BOSTON, September 25.—An adjourned meeting of the cotton manufacturing interest was held to day in Boston, at which about 2,000,000 spindles were represented by personal attendance of and many were by letter or by authority. The object of the meeting was to hear the report a committee previously appointed on the subject of reducing the production of the cotton mills one-third, in order to re establish the true relation between supply and demand. The report says a reduction of production is imperatively required, and they recommend that the working time be reduced to four days of ten hours each per week, or such other time as will reach the same result, during three months. The report accepted also a proposition recommending the cotton manufacturers of New England to reduce their product from and after October 1st, and inviting all manufacturers of New England to meet again in Boston on the 28th of October, in order to take such further action as the state of business may then seem to require.

SECOND EDITION.

Four O'Clock.

FOREIGN.

A Neutral City Attacked by Carlists.

The Russian Czar in Sympathy with Don Carlos.

Return of the Austrian Arctic Explorers to Vienna.

SPAIN.

The Russian Czar in Sympathy With Don Carlos.

LONDON, September 25.—The existence of a cordial and sympathetic letter from the Czar to Don Carlos, which has hitherto been denied at Berlin and elsewhere, is now acknowledged. The letter was written in reply to one from Don Carlos, thanking the Czar for his refusal to recognize President Serrano.

Fighting to Relieve Pampeluna.

HENDAYE, September 25.—General Moriones has begun a series of operations with the object of relieving Pampeluna, and fighting has been going on for three days. The engagement of the first day was indecisive. On the second day the Republican artillery gained an advantage and inflicted heavy losses on the Carlists. Yesterday General Moriones resumed the offensive and dispersed several insurgent battalions, but failed to follow up the advantages he had gained.

FRANCE.

Gambetta to Make Political Speeches.

PARIS, September 25.—Gambetta is announced to deliver political speeches at various places in the southern departments.

A Neutral Capital Attacked by Carlists.

Andro, the capital of the neutral country of that name, has been attacked by the Carlists, because the authorities refused to surrender a quantity of arms seized in their transit across the frontier for the insurgents.

Ex-President Thiers at Vizille.

PARIS, September 25.—Ex-President Thiers arrived yesterday at Vizille, in the Department of Isere. He was warmly received by the citizens, and made a speech, in the course of which he expressed his conviction that the Republic would ultimately be founded, and he hoped, with the assistance of M. Casimere Perire and other friends to contribute to that grand result.

WEST INDIES.

Revolt Among Chinamen in Havana.

HAVANA, September 25.—Ninety Chinamen, employed in the gas works here, mutinied today. Nine were wounded, one seriously, before the revolt was suppressed.

The Income Tax in Cuba to be Reduced.

Captain General Concha has determined to reduce the income tax from ten to five per cent. during the current year.

A Fight With Cuban Insurgents.

An official dispatch reports a fight with insurgents at Sabana del Cupey, in the Cinco Villas district. A Spanish cavalry force numbering 150 men encountered 200 mounted insurgents. The latter began firing at long range, when the Spaniards charged at full speed and dispersed them, killing five, taking one prisoner and capturing eighty horses, with their accoutrements. The Spaniards lost one man killed and one wounded.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Grand Master of Masons.

LONDON, September 25.—The Prince of Wales has accepted the Grand Mastership of the order of Freemasons.

Mr. Laird

has had a relapse of his recent illness, and his relatives have been summoned to his bed side.

Amnesty.

The officers of the Amnesty Association at Dublin say they have not been advised of the intended release of political convicts.

SWITZERLAND.

International Postal Congress.

BERNE, September 25.—The United States having joined the Postal Union, its delegates in the International Congress are enabled to introduce a uniform rate of postage for the whole territory embraced by the Union. Should England refuse to join the Union, German and American vessels will carry the mails to and from the United States.

AUSTRIA.

Return of the Arctic Explorers.

VIENNA, September 25.—The members of the Austrian Arctic expedition arrived at Vienna to day. They had a public reception, and were escorted in triumph through the principal streets, which were decorated with flags. Immense crowds witnessed the procession and cheered the explorers with great enthusiasm.

BY MAIL.

From Porto Rico.

E. Eckelman, the German Consul in the District of Pacre, Porto Rico, says that the report about the cession of the island to Germany must have originated among the enemies of Bismarck at Porto Rico. Some excitement was caused on reading the news in American papers, but very few attached any credence to it, and the Governor General publicly denied having received any instruction from Spain in regard to the matter, and the local papers also denied that there was truth in it. There was considerable dissatisfaction on the island, however, owing to the troubled state of affairs in Spain, and to the fact that all important offices are held by Spaniards. Since the emancipation of the slaves last year, agricultural pursuits have been considerably neglected, small land owners not having the cash to pay the weekly wages of former slaves.

THRILLING SCENE.

Exciting Runaway at the Monongahela City Park Association Fair.

Perhaps one of the most thrilling and exciting incidents that ever marked turf history in this section of country, was witnessed on Thursday afternoon last at the trial rate of speed for a first purse of $350, and for which four well known horses were entered. At the appointed hour the horses were brought to the scratch, but owing to either the fine training of the trotting magnates or to the impetuosity of the drivers to gain a slight point or advantage on the start, from ten to eleven scores were made ere the judges cried "go," and then all started off pell-mell and the race promised to be not only interesting but highly exciting.

Not before the wire of the starting point was passed was it discovered that the fast and spirited horse "Perry" driven by Samuel Keys, a more experienced or better jockey than whom does not live in this broad commonwealth, had become disencumbered from the frail gig in which he was seated, and the excited steed he was driving by the breaking or parting of the bit on which, of course, his management of the horse depended, he was left perfectly powerless. Forked lightning was hardly faster than this horse moved as he made the first turn, and there sat the driver hanging not, but holding on firmly to his solitary strap endeavoring to keep his now thoroughly excited steed within the course, bounded on one side by a paling fence, and on the other by a slightly elevated bank of earth. The horse dashed with desperation around the arena, making more frightful time at each minute, and threatening not only his own destruction, but that of his now somewhat nervous but courageous driver with imminent and horrible consequences, until he had made the third round. His driver listened [illegible] to the cries of hundreds to leap for his [illegible] knowing that such a course would [illegible] folly, so "stick" to his seat he [illegible] and, with a slight hold [illegible] feeble control of the [illegible] being at once clea[illegible] vehicles, he managed [illegible] and safely to [illegible] on the fourth ro[illegible] of persons assembled in the [illegible] and women, held their breaths, [illegible] ence and suspense, as along past them again the spirited steed dashed frenzied with fright [illegible] remaining coo[illegible] enough but certain [illegible] of the dreadful dilemma in which he was placed. To jump from his seat might [illegible]: to stay with his excited horse [illegible] have been the only salvation for [illegible] vehicle, and so he "stuck." [illegible] reached an almost prayerful [illegible] again came the now foaming st[illegible] nearly exhausted driver when [illegible] low square of some fifty men [illegible] more was formed, and boldly facing the h[illegible] brought him to a sudden stand still, although he could not much longer have endured the fatigue the runaway entailed upon him, being almost wind broken and physically exhausted. When he was brought to a halt, after a wild run of two and one-fourth miles, and his cool, though by this time, well worn out driver leaped safely to the ground with a sort of a gushing sigh of relief, and the giving away to pent up breaths in the utterance of loud cheers broke forth from the lips and hearts of the several thousand men and women who had witnessed the fearful episode. Mr. Keys showed pluck, else the incident would have been prolific of direr consequences than we have to record this morning. As it was, all present conceded that seldom in this country has there been witnessed a more exciting or thrilling scene in the history of American turf sports than was that here recorded.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencillings of Passing Events.

····The Kennedy-Shields investigating committee will not meet to-day, as was intended.

····The Fourteenth street engine house, on the South Side, was sold at public auction yesterday for $6,250.

····If the efficiency of the Fire Marshal is on a par with his official courtesy, there is a little room for improvement in that direction.

····Messrs. Moreland & Mitchell hired two horses and buggies last Wednesday evening and as they have not been returned yet it is supposed they have been stolen.

····Mr. R. C. Oehmler, of Allegheny, on Thursday evening stepped upon a loose grating over a coal hole, when the grating tipped and he fell, seriously injuring himself.

····On Thursday at a meeting of the Butler Street Commissioners the contract for paving sidewalks on Butler street was awarded to M. F. Kimball at ten thousand six hundred and fifty dollars.

····Owing to the extremely foggy weather yesterday morning the race between Brown and Morris, at St. John's N. B., was postponed until seven o'clock this morning when it will take place, providing wind and weather is fair.

····Mayor Fleming is determined to stop the crowds from collecting at the West Penn Railroad depot when the delegation of prisoners for the Work House arrives every morning. Yesterday office Bowden arrested a negro named Charles Bell there, and he will have a hearing to-day.

····J. C. Bartlett was arrested yesterday and taken before the Acting Mayor on a charge of being an accessory, before and after the fact, to the robbery committed recently by James Davis and Walter Scott at the store of Harrison & Parker in the Nineteenth ward. The accused gave $500 bail for a hearing.

····Lieutenant Simon Roll, of Allegheny, last night arrested John White in the act of stealing a pair of boots from Veiock & Long's shoe store on Federal street, a few doors below the Diamond. A "pal" of White's, who assisted in the theft, succeeded in making his escape. Mayor Fleming will dispose of the man this morning.

····Thos. Stafford was yesterday arrested by Officer Quirk on a charge of stealing a caddy of tobacco from the depot of the Pittsburgh and Cleveland railroad. The goods had been sent to J. F. Sprankle, at Canal Dover, Ohio. The information was made by Jno. A. Musgrave the freight agent. In default of $500 bail Stafford was committed to jail for a hearing.

····C. D Smith, the drover, who charged an Italian with robbing him of $50 some days ago, in Allegheny, was arrested yesterday very much inebriated. Officer Harrison suspected another party of having robbed him of the money, and notified the man of his suspicions, whereupon he returned $45 of the money, and stated that he had stolen $70 instead of $50, but would return all that he had taken.

····The residents of the East End district, in order to prevent racing on their wooden pavements, have held a meeting and resolved to station special watchmen along the line of Penn and other avenues to take the names of all fast drivers, and it was also decided to institute proceedings against liquor dealers who keep their bars open on Sunday. It was further decided to ask the Mayor for a special detail of policemen for Sunday, with the understanding that during the week the citizens will attend to the duty themselves.

····D. M. Jenkins, No. 20 Fifth avenue, the great tea dealer, made the finest exposition of fancy groceries, teas and Chinese curiosities at the Monongahela City fair, ever seen in that neighborhood. His suave and finely educated and polished Chinese Inspector of Teas presided over the department of oriental goods, explaining how things were made and done in the Celestial homes of his fellow comrades. The exposition was one of a more than ordinarily high order of merit, but none better than could be expected from this representative house.

PERSONAL.

***Among the arrivals at the St. Clair Hotel yesterday, were P. E. Calhoun, Millarstown, Pa; D. B. Jack, Apollo, Pa.; Charles Ballinger, Ravinna, O.; A. S. Hueiner, New Galilee, Pa., S. B. Mercer, Salsbury, Pa.; J. W. Hewett, Reading; A. J. Hamilton, Philadelphia.

***James V. Reid, a resident of Pittsburgh, is spending a few day in Clarion, visiting his brother and son, J. C. and J. B. Reid. Mr. Reid is a printer, and, for a number of years, was editor of the Steubenville (Ohio) *Ledger*, but now he is an attachee of the Pan Handle rail road.

***At the Central Hotel yesterday among the registrations were the following: Jacob South and E. F. Morris, Mount Morris, Pa.; Job South, Waynesburg; Lon. F. McAleer, Connellsville; J. S. Weddell, Philadelphia; N. Custer and wife, Reading; Henry Crugh, James Bruce and A. Haverstick, Philadelphia; Peter Hack, Coshocton, O.; L. I. Perry, Beaver; M. B. Brown, Jr., New Castle, Pa.

***Charles R. Clement, William S. Kirk, Isaac Strouse and lady, John A. Wilson, P. S. King, S. J. Garber and John B. Willford, of Philadelphia; Thomas Savery, Westchester, Pa.; J. M. McElroy, James C. Boyce, C. J. Hepburn, Oil City; Preston C. Mason and Charles Hattel, Columbus; James A. Brown, Washington, Pa.; E. S. Robenson, Bellaire, O.; C. E. Swarengen, Uniontown; Miss McKnight, Millerstown; Miss Harrass, Parker City; Joseph R. Harris, Titusville; Willie Crawford, Newcastle; Henry R. Beeson, Uniontown; James VanHorn, Isaac VanHorn, Mahoning, Pa.; Henry Monett, Columbus, F., were at the Union Depot Hotel yesterday.

The Barnum Hat,
AT McGREGOR'S,
46 Federal street, Allegheny.

AT Waynesburg the other day, they held an enthusiastic Railroad meeting and $5,000 were subscribed toward the building of a rail road toward that town. This amount was subsequently increased about $3 000. Waynesburg has thus subscribed about $48,000 of the $60,000 necessary to complete its share in the enterprise.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

☞RELIGIOUS SERVICES WILL BE held in the seventh U. P. Church, corner of Forty-fourth street and Charlotte alley, on TO-MORROW at the usual hours. Sabbath School meets at 1:45 P. M. All are invited.

☞THIRD U. P. CHURCH, DIAMOND street, between Grant and Ross. Rev. S. R. FRAZIER, Pastor. Services TO-MORROW MORNING at 10½ o'clock; Evening 7½. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. Wednesday evening Prayer Meeting and Lecture 7½. Strangers and others cordially invited.

THE REV. DR. STEEL, OF THE Reformed Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, will preach in the First Reformed Presbyterian church, corner of Sandusky street and Gay alley, Allegheny City, on TO-MORROW at 10½ o'clock A. M., and 7½ o'clock P. M. No service in the afternoon. Seats free.

REV. DR. PEARSON, OF FOURTH Avenue Church, will discourse on the "Philosophy of Littles." and on "Judas, was he necessary to our Salvation?" To-morrow.

REV. R. W. PEARSON, D. D., WILL Preach in Fourth Avenue Baptist Church at 10:30 A. M., "Little Wonders; Wonderful Littles." at 7:30 P. M., "Judas Iscariot. A Brother's Inquiry about his career and fate."

MEETINGS.

☞REPUBLICANS, ATTENTION.

A MEETING OF THE
Sub-Committee of the Allegheny County Republican Executive Committee
ON
NATURALIZATION,
Will be held at the Lincoln Club Rooms,
On Monday, September 28th, 1874,
At 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

Every member is requested to be present.
J. MARTIN SCHAFFER, Chairman.
D. K. McGUNNEGLE, Secretary.

The following is a list of names of members of the Committee.

R. A. Hall,
Capt. Louis Hagar,
J. Henry Miller,
Samuel H. French,
Joseph Dickson,
Wm. Alderson,
Chris. Haas,
John Gilfillan,
Henry Jackson,
James M. De Haven,
Harmon Kilgore,
Alex. Walker,
Henry Robinson,
R. J. Thomas,
Capt. W. C. Irwin,
Thos. Rosewell,
Isaac Morton,
John Matthews, Jr.,
Charles Raine,
E. F. Pearson,
George W. Massey,
Matthew Murdock,
Isaac Neeley,
George McCorkle,
Thomas Hall,
Thomas Gatewood,
George Abel,
Patterson Porter,
Joseph D. Jones,
Jacob Stoffel,
John John,
Henry Kent,
August [illegible]
M. [illegible]
B. [illegible]

HE[illegible] COUNTY [illegible] COMMITTEE, [illegible] CLUB ROOMS, [illegible] September 24, 1874.

A MEETING OF THE
Committee on Meetings and Speakers,
WILL BE HELD AT
LINCOLN CLUB ROOMS,
Saturday, Sept. 26, at 2 P. M

The attendance of every member is requested.
JOHN A. FOX, Chairman.
COL. N. M. SMITH, J. H. MILLER, Secretaries.

Following is a List of the Committee.
JOHN A. FOX Chairman.
COL. N. M. SMITH, J. N. MILLER, Secretaries.

[illegible] Snodgrass,
David Weaver,
[illegible]lly,
[illegible]
John [illegible] McKee,
A. L. [illegible]arson,
B. D. Hunter,
Thos. MacConnell, Jr.,
David Lang,
Beverly Jones,
Samuel Steel,
John H. Hare,
Wm. Wettach,
John Larimer,
Nathan Brokaw,
J. A. Neal,
Peter Keil,
J. S. Stoner,
J. C. Morrow,
Andrew McCartney,
R. J. Glancey,
D. C. H. Black,
Jos. D. Jones,
T. S. Evans,
M. W. Burke,
Nathaniel Madden,
Jas. D. Walker.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of 23d and Smallman streets, and they will receive prompt attention.

R. M. SMITH Inspector.

ALLEGHENY POSTOFFICE.

The following is a list of uncalled for Letters remaining in the Allegheny Postoffice, September 25, 1874. If not called for within four weeks they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office. To obtain any of these letters the applicant must call for advertised letters, giving the date of the list.

LADIES' LIST.

Ashenbaugh L
Bushnell Mary
Conson Mary
Carr Jennie
Davis Elizabeth
Deavdorff M
Dickey L E
Davis Mrs E
Earle Miss Liz
Early Bridget
Gives I A
Harbour M
Harris Mrs Jen
Jackson H
Loveling L
Lister Jane
Long Sarah
Laughlin Annie
Morrow Mrs
McLaughlin S
McCullough Mrs
McCure E
McKinzey D
McClelland Adda
McGrand A
Owens Mrs
Patterson M
Phillips Hattie
Phillips Blanche
Reym Mary J
Rogers M
Rope Katie
Stewart M
Smith Mollie
Stoller L
Sultz Mrs J A
Smith F
Southwell F
Stanton E A
Sperr Ann
Smith Ann
Simpson A C
Taylor M
Tingley E J
Watter J R

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Albright Joseph
Brisco Wm H
Blair Wm A
Boyson T H
Bates Mr
Bailey J C
Bright James
Brown Henry
Bayne Hugh
Barber A F
Clayton P E
Cunningham T H
Clark Joseph
Degelman John
Darant H B
Elliotte H H
Evans Geo W
Fagan & Co W E
Flynn Michael
Fletcher Silas W
Griffiths Wm
Gillen Saml
Graham John
Hadley Thos E
Henderson Dr
Joseph Moss
Johnson C E
Johnson Clark
Kilpatrick John
Kirk John W
Leclere Rev Gov
Miller Arnold
Marlatt Eli
Miller John
Maehling S
Moon Nathan E
Marshall Wm
McClosky Robt
McMorris W M
McMillen W H E
Nelon M C
Oliphant John 2
Potts R
Renter Louis
Requer Thomas
Ritchey Thomas
Smith Ely W
Steal David
Taylor R
Taggart Sr Wm
Todd Wm A
Wilson A
Weir Wm
Winegart N
Waltower Jno F
Walton Jas
Weaver Jacob
Weir James
Wentwelt E M
Williams Edwd
Watson D T
Wakeman C

J. A. MYLER, P. M.

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WANTS.

WANTED—A NIGHT WATCHMAN Indoors; bonds required for faithfulness. Address Lock Box 1270, Pittsburgh P. O. Only parties with unexceptional character and reference need apply.

WANTED—IN ALLEGHENY CITY, fronting the Parks (west Parks preferred), or in close proximity, furnished rooms in a modern built house, with bath, &c., with or without breakfast and tea, by two single gentlemen of the highest respectability. Address with location box 1270, Pittsburgh, P. O.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS WATCHMAN in a Bank, by a thoroughly reliable gentleman. Best city references given. For information, &c., apply to JAMES REED & CO., Jewelers, Fifth avenue.

WANTED

A Gentleman to take charge of the Boarding Department of a Female College. One whose wife can act as housekeeper preferred.
The best of references required.
Address
LOCK BOX 262,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—MORTGAGES ON GOOD Good City Property. Money to loan in sums from $1,000 to $6,000. Inquire of D. SWOGER, Real Estate Agent, 66 Federal street, Allegheny.

TO LET.

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED ROOMS Inquire at 287 Fifth avenue extension.

FOR RENT—A TWO STORY BRICK dwelling house in a central location, No. 172 Second avenue, Pittsburgh. Possession given immediately. For terms of rent apply to A. D. SMITH, at Iron City National Bank, or at his residence, No. 17 Park street, Allegheny City.

FOR RENT—A COMFORTABLE NINE Room Double, Brick House, with stable, carriage house, and over two acres of ground, good bearing orchard, grounds under cultivation; situated within three minutes walk of Oakland Passenger Railway station, Fourteenth ward. Possession immediately. Inquire at LOUGHREY & FREW'S, 102 Wood street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—VALUABLE FARM,—12 miles from Pittsburgh, between the Pa. Central and Connellsville Railroads, one mile from the stations of Port Perry, Brinton and Turtle Creek, containing 140 acres, with 2 dwelling houses, a large bank barn, with all other necessary buildings, in good order, and will be sold low. If not sold by November 1st, will be for rent for a term of years to a good tenant. Apply to JAMES WHITE, on the premises, or to S. B. W. GILL, Attorney-at-Law, 142 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh. se10-T-TH-S-S

FOR SALE—AT LESS THAN ONE-third cost, Shelving, Bins, Counters, Weigh Scales, Large Marble Centre Table and Large Sofa. Apply at 277 Penn avenue. se24;g83

FOR SALE—A FINE LOT 26 BY 138 feet and Frame House of 5 rooms on Sheffield street, 5th ward, Allegheny City. Price, $3,000. Inquire of D. SWOGER, 66 Federal street, 2d floor, over Girard Bank.

FOR SALE.—A FINE FAMILY Driving and Riding PONY, together with Phaeton and Harness, all in first-class order. Can be seen at SPENCER & WILLISON'S, Nos. 27 and 28 Cedar avenue, Allegheny City. se11

FOR SALE—FRAME HOUSE OF FIVE Rooms, Attic and good Cellar, with a good Lot, on Sedgwick street, 6th ward, Allegheny, will be sold for $1,200 cash, and a monthly payment of $22.31 for 9 years and 8 months. Inquire of D. SWOGER, 66 Federal street, Allegheny. jy20

FOR SALE.—SECOND HAND ENGINES from 5 to 80 horse power, 30 Double Flued Boilers, one pair 20 feet by 38 inches, nearly new.
JAMES HILL & CO.,
Cor. Marion avenue and P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.,
jy14 Allegheny City, Pa.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.—A SAFE KEY—SUPPOSED TO have been dropped in front of the Post office Thursday evening. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to 62 Ferry, corner Diamond st. s-26

OPENING—WILL OPEN A HANDSOME Assortment of Pattern Hats, Bonnets, Feathers, Flowers, and everything in the Millinery line, on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th.
C. BEGGS,
se26-10h 93 Ohio st., Allegheny City.

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Sept. 26, 1874.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR the construction of the sewer on Pennsylvania avenue, from Manhattan street to Fulton street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1874, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.
CHAS. DAVIS,
se25:h City Engineer.

DISSOLUTION—THE COPARTNERship heretofore existing between W. S Spratt, Jonas Keefer, W. R. Johnston and E. S. Hartman, under the firm name of Spratt, Johnston & Co., in the Empire Plow Works, Pittsburgh, Pa., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. R. Johnston retiring from said firm.

The business of the late firm will be continued by the remaining partners under the old firm name of Spratt, Johnston & Co., to whom all persons indebted to said firm will make payment, and to whom all claims against said firm must be presented for settlement.
W. S. SPRATT,
Sept. 25, 1874. JONAS KEEFER,
W. R. JOHNSTON,
E. S. HARTMAN.

In retiring from said firm I cheerfully recommend my successors to our former customers and the public.
W. R. JOHNSTON.

Trees, Bulbs, Flowers.

Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees,
Small Fruits, Holland Bulbs, in great variety.
Winter Blooming Plants.
Cut Flowers in every style.
Canary Birds.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, BY
J. R. & A. MURDOCH.
112 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.
Send for Catalogue.

AN ELEGANT
Ridge Avenue Building Site
FOR SALE,

75 feet on Ridge by 120 feet to an alley. This property is situated on one of the most fashionable, desirable and convenient portions of Allegheny City, near the elegant residences of
Lincoln and Allegheny Avenues
And other fine properties on Ridge. Any person looking for site for a home would do well to examine it. Will make terms and price advantageous to buyer.
Enquire of
A. R. CARPENTER,
Penna. R. R. Metal Yard.
se26:h13 Cor. 7th and Grant Sts. Pittsburgh.

OFFICE OF CLERK OF COUNCILS,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Sept. 26, 1874.

Opening of Return Street.

Notice is hereby given that the Report of Viewers on the opening of

Return Street

Was confirmed by Councils, September, 24th, 1874. Objections to the report must be filed within 10 days. The Report can be seen in this office.
ROLAND T. WHITE,
se26:h11 Clerk of Select Council.

J. H. JOHNSON,
Great Western Gun Works,
285 LIBERTY STREET,

Muzzle and Breech-loading RIFLES, SHOT GUNS, REVOLVERS, AMMUNITION, GUN MATERIALS, FISHING TACKLE, &c.
Guns, Revolvers and Pistols Repaired.
☞Send for a Price List.
For sale cheap, a lot of second hand Revolvers and Double Shot Guns.

Duff's College
No. 37 FIFTH AVENUE,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
The oldest and most reliable institution for obtaining a MERCANTILE EDUCATION.
For Circulars, write to
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PAPER FLOUR SACK
AND BROOM FACTORY.
Brushes, Broom Material, Wrapping Paper, Twines and Wooden Ware, by
ABDIEL M'CLURE & CO.,
362 PENN STREET.

Franklin Fire Ins. Company
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Losses Paid since 1829, nearly $7,000,000
Cash Assets January 1st, 1872, $3,355,749
LOSSES ADJUSTED AND PAID BY
COFFIN, KELLOGG & CO.,
THIRD AVENUE AND WOOD ST.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Great Attractions!
MOORHOUSE & CARSTEN,
Have now open the best assortment of
Plain and Fancy Dress Goods
In the city, at the lowest market prices.
They also offer a beautiful line of pure CASHMERE SUBLIME
BLACK SILKS,
Which can be relied on as greatly below value.
PLAIN SILKS.
Adapted for Fall use. $1.50 to $2 per yard.
A Large Assortment of
SERGES, DIAGONALS.
50 PIECES FRENCH MERINOS
New Shades 75 cents.
A large assortment of Black Cashmeres, Merinos, Mohairs, Alpacas, Biaritz, Henrietta Cloths, Shawls, Cloaks, &c., at very low prices.
Samples sent on application.
Cor. 4th Avenue & Market St.

WILLIAM HASLAGE
No. 18 Diamond.

IMPORTED WINES
ON DRAUGHT,
Direct from Bonded Warehouse and warranted to be
Strictly Pure
And many of them have been received this week.

Port Wine XXX	per gallon $4 75,	quart $1 25
Port Wine XX	per gallon 3 00,	quart 80
Port Wine X	per gallon 2 25,	quart 60
Sherry Wine XXX	per gallon 5 75,	quart 1 50
Sherry Wine XX	per gallon 3 75,	quart 1 00
Sherry Wine X	per gallon 2 00,	quart 50

THIS DAY RECEIVED,
MADERIA WINE CROP 1860
This wine is bought for medical purposes only.
Per gallon $10 00, quart $2 50.

IMPORTED WINES
IN BOTTLES.

St. Julian Wine, quart bottles, each	$ 50
St. Emilion Wine, quart bottles, each	75
Grand Vin Ducru, bottles, each	1 00
Pure Old Madaria, bottles, each	2 00
Pure Old Port, bottles, each	1 50
Pure Old Sherry, bottles, each	1 50
Champagne L Devan, bottles, each	2 00
Champagne L. Devan, pints	1 00

IMPORTED LIQUORS
ON DRAUGHT.
Brandy, Cognac, Hennesy & Co., 1865, gal. $10 00, quart $2 50.
Brandy, Cognac, Hennesy & Co., 1858, gal. $12 00.
Pure Holland Gin Snaps.... gallon $6 00, quart $1 50
Old Jamaica Rum.... gallon $12 00, quart 3 00

Imported Liquors in Bottles

Brandy, Cognac, Hennesy & Co., in quarts	$3 00
Brandy, Cognac, Hennesy & Co., in pints	1 50
Brandy, Cognac, Pinet Castillion, in quarts	2 00
Brandy, Cognac, J. & E. Martell, in pints	1 50
Old Jamaica Rum, in quarts	2 00
Pure Holland Gin, Bell brand, quarts	2 00

Imported Ale and Stout.

India Pale Ale	per dozen $2 50,	bottle 25c
Lane & Co., Imperial Stout	dozen 2 50,	bottle 25c

Domestic Wines on Draught

Haslage's Pure Catawba, gallon	$1 25
Haslage's Pure Catawba, by the bbl	1 00
Haslage's Pure Concord, gallon	1 50
Haslage's Pure Concord, by the barrel	1 25
Blackberry Wine per gallon $2 25,	per quart 60c
Cherry Wine per gallon 3 00,	per quart 75c

Domestic Wines in Bottles.

Haslage's Sparkling Catawba Champagne, quart bottles	$1 00
Haslage's Sparkling Catawba Champagne, pint bottles	50
Haslage's Sparkling Catawba Champagne, by the case, 12 quarts and 24 pints, per case	12 00

Domestic Liquors on Draught

Extra Old Rye Whisky	gallon $4 00,	quart $1 00
Old Rye Whisky	gallon 3 00,	quart 75
Rye Whisky	gallon 2 00,	quart 50
Rectified Whisky	gallon 1 50,	quart 40
Kummel Whisky	gallon 2 25,	quart 60
French Brandy	gallon 3 00,	quart 75
Cooking Brandy	gallon 2 25,	quart 60
Old Tom Gin	gallon 3 00,	quart 75
Pine Apple Gin	gallon 2 25,	quart 60
New England Rum	gallon 3 00,	quart 75

California Brandy.
Crop 1865, very fine.... gallon $7 50, quart $2 00

Domestic Liquors in Bottles.

Extra Pure Old Whisky, 8 years old, bottle	$1 50
California Brandy, bottle	1 75
Cognac, Hennesy & Co., bottle	1 00

Those wanting pure Brandies and Wines for medical purposes can obtain them always at 18 Diamond.
150 empty Molasses Barrels.
150 " 32 gallon Light Pickle Barrels.
50 " 16 " "
100 " Whisky and Vinegar Barrels.
800 " Sugar Barrels, complete.
50 Sugar Hogsheads and Rice Tierces.
50 Ham Tierces.
Call at the New Store of
WILLIAM HASLAGE,
No. 18 DIAMOND.

Liberty Street
CHINA HOUSE
OFFER THEIR
Entire Stock
DURING SEPTEMBER AT
AUCTION PRICES
To make Room for Fall importations.
100 China Dinner Sets, $35.00 each.
50 Band China Tea Sets, 56 pieces, $12 each.
100 DECORATED CHAMBER SETS
AT
Astonishingly Low Prices.
ALSO,
Stone China Dinner Ware,
Parian Statuettes,
Fine Glass Vases,
Toilet Sets, at
Great Bargains.
Geo. H. Garber & Co.,
189 Liberty Street.

Established 1848.
SIMON JOHNSTON,
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THE New Orleans *Picayune* does Kellogg the justice to say that he stood to his post as long as he could without forfeiting his life.

THE redemption law, looking to the return to banks of the currency issued by them, does not work smoothly in practice, and must be materially changed, if not altogether repealed, at the next session of Congress. A return to the law as it stood before amended by the last Congress would be wiser and better.

WE strongly compliment the citizens of the East End who have so promptly arranged to put in force our suggestions to prevent the new pavements being used as a race course. Special watchmen are to be stationed along the line of the street, and liquor dealers who keep open bars on Sunday are to be prosecuted. A special detail of policemen will be asked of the Mayor for Sunday.

CHICAGO at least reaps the fruits of its bad government. The General Agent of the National Board of Underwriters has withdrawn, and the city will soon be, if it is not already, without insurance against fire. The bad faith of certain departments of the city government, and the tardiness of others, is the cause of this. The influences which led to the withdrawal of insurance also represent the extreme danger of the city from fire, if it should again break out.

IF it be true, as reported, that Colonel McClure was promised by the State leaders to our Allegheny committee for a speech, during the coming canvass, it affords good evidence that the shrewd Liberal sees that it is not the part of wisdom to hold on to the skirts of the Democratic party, and so has come back to his old home again. The Colonel is one of the most brilliant speakers in the State, and right or wrong, is always interesting. He has a reputation that will attract magnificent audiences, wherever he may speak.

DR. DOLLINGER states that the Old Catholic movement, while making progress in Europe, is not progressing as rapidly as desired, owing chiefly, he thinks, to the conflict between Prussia and the Roman Catholic Church. The appearance of persecution, that attends the enforcement of the ecclesiastical laws, has had the effect of arousing the sympathy of the people in behalf of the Catholics, and so retarded the progress of the rival Church. This, doubtless, is a correct representation of the situation.

THE real situation in New Orleans is not improved. The White Leagues seized and retained new breech-loading arms, and have returned to the State only a few rusty muskets. They openly threaten a renewal of hostilities if an attempt is made to search their houses for arms, or to try Penn. If the United States troops are withdrawn they declare they will kill or drive off Kellogg and his partisans. So the situation stands. We fully believe that the Government will be compelled to retain troops there, and in the face of the threats made it can do nothing else than enforce its power against the rebels.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad requires about $7,000,000 to complete improvements along its direct line, in order to prepare it to do the increasing business that is accumulating upon it. The question has been started how the funds shall be obtained, whether by the issue of bonds, or the sale of securities held by the road. The policy favored by the committee of investigation, and stockholders, is that of selling available securities, and it is understood that the stockholders are in sympathy with this idea. The issue of bonds is generally opposed, as a continuance of the policy, errors of which are being rectified.

THE Board of Health of New York have issued an order that on and after the 4th of July, 1876, the slaughtering business shall be removed from the Island of Manhattan. This refers to the slaughtering of animals, of course, not of men. It represents a very useful way of celebrating the Centennial Anniversary. As a suggestion, only, may it not be widely copied? Why may we not select that as a day for abating nuisances, effecting reforms, and generally for putting the country in a right condition? We do not need to specify, too much in detail; but there are palpable evils, in every city and State, that need to be abated. Let us clean house, generally, coming Fourth of July a year!

A NEW bayonet, fashioned like a trowel, has just been invented by Colonel Rice, of the United States army. It is designed to meet two important necessities of modern warfare. One is the bayonet direct, as valuable in repelling cavalry charges, and for close fighting; the other that of throwing up earthworks, to protect troops under fire. It has been ascertained that hastily prepared earthworks are exceedingly important, in protecting a force as well as for enabling them to fire deliberately and accurately. But General Sherman's experience was that often when earthworks were particularly needed, there were no utensils at hand with which to construct them. This, the bayonet referred to, will enable soldiers to do, while in actual fighting it has a deadly function to fulfill.

COLONEL FORNEY, while in Oxford, England, met a gentleman who had invested money in Pennsylvania bonds, who, while admitting that he received his interest regularly, petulently referred to the "ugly things happening in your country in matters of finance." Forney referred the gentleman to some "doubtful English investments," and reminded him that here a Drummond light is turned on prominent public men, revealing every flaw or spot in character or life. The New York *Bulletin* goes a great distance out of its way to criticise the course of Colonel Forney in wounding the *amour propre* of the Englishman. We think he did just right. Pennsylvania bonds are not begging a market; and when persons abroad show so much aptitude to decry American securities it is well to remind them that they have the same quality of paper at home. Let all Americans abroad be polite, but at the same time firm in defending their institutions.

WE admire gratitude. If ingratitude is one of the meanest sins a man can be guilty of, surely gratitude should rank among the major virtues. In this rather vain but selfish world of ours, where politicians are ever thinking of the dollars and cents that will be required to reward their care for the public and fidelity to party, it is agreeable to know that unselfish generosity can be found. Not generosity exactly, for this supposes the bestowment of unearned favors; gratitude is the only word that expresses it. But the most amazing exhibition of this noble quality that we have seen of late, refers to the Democratic party. A short while since we gave some examples of the rather remarkable lucubrations of Andrew Jackson Smith, of New Jersey, Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee. The little frog had never done anything of consequence but this, but it was so marvelous in its way, and attracted such widespread attention, that out of gratitude—we can imagine no other reason—a nomination for Congress was bestowed upon him. It was the best they had to offer. True, he hasn't the ghost of a chance to be elected, but it is his misfortune that he lives in a Republican district. At all events, gratitude could no further go. We would modestly suggest, if ridiculous and nonsensical writing has in it a claim to gratitude, to be satisfied in this way, the *Post* editor has earned a title to consideration.

A WORD OF COUNSEL.

We do not profess to know who are the advisers of the striking miners, along the Pan Handle road, nor whether their case of grievance is well sustained, or not. Whatever the facts may be, even admitting that they are wronged, oppressed, driven to extremity and abused, there is no reason whatever for the violent course taken yesterday. If it be true, as charged, that they set fire to the miners' dwellings, they have added to their misfortunes the crime of incendiarism. This is the greatest misfortune that could have befallen them. It puts them in the position of criminals before the law, and turns against them the tide of popular sympathy. We have but little faith in the Italian experiment, and had the miners kept the peace, and bore themselves kindly and properly, we do not imagine much time would have elapsed without a compromise of some kind. But so soon as men suffer themselves to perpetrate violence and crime, their position is false, and they fail to receive the credit and sympathy to which they may be justly entitled. The purpose, in this country, to discountenance and frown down violations of law is so fully developed, that while men are engaged in violence no countenance is shown them, and they are apt to be promptly and rigidly punished. But when, in the face of persecution, they forbear crime, and seek by lawful and laudable means to accomplish their purposes, public sympathy and aid are apt to be accorded.

We have regarded the troubles among miners with interest, and kindly feeling for them. They are a hard working class, engaged in rude and dangerous toil, away from the light of the sun, with perpetual danger about them, and deserve to receive a good income for their toil. We have never yet seen a sufficiently full statement of facts to know whether they are properly paid, or not. The mine owners show a statement, according every man in their employ a salary of about $100 a month,—or nearly four dollars for each working day. This, looked at by itself, conveys the idea of good wages. The miners say they are cheated, in that they are not paid for nut coal. If they are paid sufficiently for lump coal, to cover the non-payment for nut, the case is met; if not, their grievance seems just. But the owners retort to this that they are now paying more than they can afford, if they would make anything on their capital. So it goes; the whole subject is confused and contradictory, and, to the general public, incomprehensible. But arson and violence are easily understood; and we hope some one, in whom the miners have confidence, will assure them that these, if resorted to, will forfeit them public sympathy.

SCHURZ ON THE SITUATION.

The People's party of Missouri is the friend, if it was not the creation, of Senator Schurz. The fusion with it of the Republican party is a practical acceptance of Schurz by the regular organization, and an endorsement of his claim to re-election as United States Senator. At the meeting ratifying the combined action of the two parties, he made the address, the political features of which only have reached us. The condition of affairs in Louisiana received elaborate attention; and while he claims that Kellogg was not legally elected, he admits the perfect correctness of the President's course, and blames Congress for failing to rectify Louisiana affairs. But back of this, he refers to the Federal officeholders intermixing in State and local politics, and affirms that this is the source of much of the trouble. At the South very many of the prominent Federal officials were non-residents, at the time of their appointment, and the remarks of Senator Schurz are, therefore, of considerable force as applied to them. That they should observe the course of events, and advise all parties, fairly and candidly, in the interests of peace, refraining from partizanship meanwhile, is too plainly true to admit of doubt. If his criticisms in the particulars mentioned, are based on facts, as we believe they are, their justness and force cannot be denied. It is beyond all controversy true that Federal officials South ought to be non-partisan, fair, candid, and peacemakers between rival factions. Where they have intrigued, and aided one party or the other, they are deserving of censure.

Along with this, however, the Senator elaborates the principle that Federal officials everywhere should abstain from local politics, and care only for the duties of their offices. While it is a matter of sound judgment and good taste how far they should go, we are not ready to admit that they should abstain from all participation in local politics. An officeholder is also a citizen, charged with all the responsibilities and duties of citizenship. The practice at the North is to appoint Federal officials from among the citizens of the place where the duties are to be performed. Hence such officials are conversant with local affairs, have property, interests, and associations, and are in every way as much concerned in the local administration of government as are non-officeholding citizens. There are no distinctions, in this respect. To deprive them of the privileges of citizenship, as a concomitant of office-holding, is to put a penalty upon the mere fact of accepting official position; and, thus, placing a class of citizens under ban. This, most certainly, is not right.

If the politics of the country were in a condition of paradisaical purity, the suggestion that office holders abstain from politics would be eminently proper. It might seem something like a fish abstaining from water, but the object aimed at is praiseworthy. But such is not the fact. The Democratic party stands ready to avail itself of every show of weakness on the part of Republicans, and to trample every consideration of right under foot, as a means of gaining power. One of the most serious difficulties in the way of effecting some reforms which the Republicans were inclined to, was the fact that the Democracy urged them on with the palpable object of availing themselves of the weakness that would result to the Republicans, to secure power. It was known, from their past history, that they would not hesitate to trample those reforms under foot if by so doing they could consolidate their strength. Hence reforms that are admittedly valuable must be carefully made. But in the present condition of things it may well be doubted whether that is a reform which would simply neutralize the activity of a very important element in the Republican party.

The current view of practical men is that those who have the fruits of politics should contribute of time and money to maintain party organizations and efficiency. They are supposed to have the leisure, the opportunity, and the ability to confer valuable services. Very many Federal and other officials would be only too glad to be released from the duty of mingling in practical politics, and to quietly enjoy the offices given into their care. But the sentiment referred to has steadily operated to keep them up to their duty in this particular, and so party organization and efficiency have been maintained. That this requirement has been abused at times, is true; but this does not require that it shall be abolished—only that it shall be rectified. Senator Schurz has many excellent and elevated ideas. As a mere abstract thinker, dealing in the principles and theories of our political system, he occasionally suggests sound and happy thoughts. But his career after Greeleyism, and his Sumnerian ventures show him to be lacking in the practical element. The Republican party is not exactly ready to tie the hands of its most effective supporters, and prepare itself to be captured by the Democracy.

POLITICAL NOTES

JUDGE R. S. BERKSHIRE has been nominated for the West Virginia State Senate by the Republicans of the Monongalia District.

THE Cincinnati *Enquirer* says that the Syracuse platform of the New York Democrats "is the work of unthinking, uninformed, idiotic politicians."

IT turns out that by actual count just twenty-five persons participated in the "rousing" Convention that nominated an Independent candidate to run against General Garfield.

NEARLY all the Democratic newspapers are now howling for somebody to buy and circulate them as campaign documents. They forget that the masses of their party never read anything.

GENERAL BUTLER says he does not apprehend any difficulty in carrying his district against all his opponents. Talbot, the present Acting Governor of Massachusetts, is Butler's candidate for United States Senator against Dawes, whom he hopes to beat.

THE Erie, Warren and Venango Democratic Conference, after nominating Dr. A. G. Egbert for Congress, adopted a rule that in future conferences the county representations should be changed so as to give Erie five votes and Warren and Venango four each.

A RUTLAND man nominates ex-Governor Smith for United States Senator for Vermont, in place of Mr. Edmunds, and declares that "if Governor Smith desires the honorable position he certainly can have it, and his supporters would honor the State by honoring him."

PITY the poverty of the South. Within the last six months the down-trodden white citizens of South Carolina have expended only $300,000 in arming White Leagues with Spencer and Henry rifles. But not a cent have they spent for purchasing United States colors.

THE wag who lowered a spoon through the scuttle while General Butler was recently addressing a mass meeting at Essex, undoubtedly had a keen appreciation of the ludicrous; but for all that, the spoon hasn't been made that can stop the mouth of the doughty Massachusetts champion.

THE Democratic ticket in Somerset county is as follows: State Senator—John H. Uhl. Assembly — Aaron Will and Charles Williamson. District Attorney—Paul Gaither. Commissioner — Phillip Hay. Poor House Director—John Kuhns. Auditor—Charles F. Smith. Surveyor—L. C. Colborn.

ON the first Monday in October the people of Connecticut will vote on the proposition to amend the State Constitution so as to allow towns having more than five thousand inhabitants to members of the lower House of the Legislature. This is a step in the right direction, and should have been adopted long ago.

PERSONAL.

CHARLES SWAIN, the poet, is dead.

DR. BROWN SEQUARD sailed for Europe.

MISS CLAFLIN says the man does'nt live that can be Governor of Tennie C.

SENATOR BOUTWELL is so sick at his home in Groton that he has sent for the Washington physician.

MME. MEILHAN, of Paris, who sued the American Perkins and his Princess for 39,000f., appeals against the decision, because the Princess was let off.

WHILE MR. JOHN APPLETON, the publisher, was out driving with his wife on Staten Island Tuesday afternoon, the horses took fright and Mr. and Mrs. Appleton were thrown from the carriage. Both were seriously bruised, but their injuries are not at all dangerous.

EX-GOV. JOHN M. PALMER, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements of the Lincoln Monument Association, has issued a circular announcing that the railroad companies of the country have reduced their rates on all their lines to one and one-fifth fare for the round trip, for the benefit of persons wishing to attend the ceremonies of the dedication of the monument, at Springfield, Ill., on October 15.

THE Rev. Edward F. Strickland sent to a meeting of the Baptist ministers of Boston last Monday a note saying that he had experienced a change of belief respecting the fundamental doctrines of the Church—the total depravity of mankind, the eternal punishment of the finally impenitent, and the doctrine of the trinity and the divinity and the divinity of Christ—and could therefore no longer conscientiously retain his position in the Baptist ranks.

THE following gentlemen have been appointed to professorial chairs in the Catholic University College at Kensington: Mr. Paley withdraws from Cambridge to take the Chair of Classics, Mr. George Mivart undertakes the course of Biology and Physiology, Mr. F. Barth has been appointed Professor of Chemistry, Mr. Seager, ex-Professor of Hebrew at Oxford, takes the Chair of Philology and Eastern Languages, and Mr. Proctor, the well-known astronomer, will also probably be on the staff.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

FRANCE sent to England last year 500,000,000 eggs.

SOMEBODY in Texas calls for a contribution of $1 to build a monument to George D. Prentice. Scarcely a satisfactory character to put up as an idea.

AN indignant citizen of North Alabama has written the Attorney General requesting that official to have a rebel flag, which he asserts is kept flying from a Huntsville hotel, taken down.

IN London they have a new article called "butterine." Some deluded thief stole a firkin of it, thinking it was butter. Before the magistrate a description of the article was required, when the thief was discharged from custody as more honest than the owner.

THE case of attempted blackmailing of Fernando Wood, mentioned last Spring, was tried in Washington Thursday and the accused was found guilty. It will be remembered that Mr. Wood was accused of improper relations with a woman, whose husband wrote him demanding $50,000, and threatening to kill him if it was not paid.

THE following bonds, belonging to S. X. Billings, of Gains, Tioga county, were stolen: Union Pacific Railroad bonds, Nos. 12,276, 12,277, 12,278, 12,279, 11,607, 11,608, 11,609, 24,202, 21,327, 24,084—coupon bonds of $1,000 each; also Pacific 7s, guaranteed by the State of Missouri, Nos. 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 1,021, 1,022—coupon bonds of $1,000 each.

THE current *Harper's Weekly* is full of fine pictures, and has two which concern Shakespeare. There is an engraving of Shakespeare before the justices, charged with poaching, and the comic illustration of the number represents certain journalists as pulling down the bust of the poet from his tomb. This is *apropos* of the correspondence which has recently appeared in one of our papers as to the authorship of the plays. A short article in the *Weekly* sums up forcibly the objections to the theory that they were written by Bacon.

A MARVELOUS CURE.

The Case of a Well-known Citizen of Chicago—A Delicate and Successful Surgical Operation—Piece of Hard Grizzle the Size of a Hickorynut Removed from Close Proximity to the Brain.

The Chicago *Tribune* tells the following very remarkable story:

The surgical profession is looked upon by those uninterested in its triumphs with something like a feeling of fear or disgust. The sight of the glittering knives, saws, and probes, with their thin edges ready for use on the human victim, is more likely to inspire a shudder than to give rise to any pleasant reflections or suggestions in the mind of the novice. When the romance of this profession comes to be written, however, it will contain the details of many incidents in the great and humane art of saving life and limb that will cast into the shade the efforts of romancers, and, it is to be hoped, may go towards dispersing the foolish notion that knowledge of one's own body and diseases is something to be shunned and avoided. Without dwelling on this prejudice, however, an incident giving some proof of the wonderful power the skillful physician is learning to exert over disease may be given.

About the 1st of May

COL. ABNER TAYLOR.

a well known citizen of Chicago, was taken sick with what he supposed to be a rheumatic attack. He had severe pains in his knee joint, hip, and head, on the right side of his body, and his sufferings were so great that he took to his bed and called in a doctor. This gentleman concurred in his opinion, and commenced treating him for rheumatism, stating that it would probably confine him to his bed for some time. The pain was gradually relieved from the side of the body, in the course of this treatment, but that which afflicted the head seemed to become more acute and unbearable day by day, until it deprived him of rest or sleep by day or night, and, before the beginning of August, Col. Taylor had lost 45 pounds in weight, and his hair on the side afflicted had

TURNED WHITE.

By this time he had taken an immense quantity of medicine, and his nervous system was entirely, and apparently hopelessly, shattered. From the great and hearty figure of a man so well known about town, he became a gaunt and trembling skeleton of his former self, too weak to help himself, and, as he had received no relief to his intense agony, fated, without doubt, to die without even knowing the cause of his affliction. In all his pain and agony, this grew to be a terrible thought, and he at length resolved, come what might, to try some change. His physicians, for he had now called in several, readily agreed to this, and so he

TOOK THE BOAT TO MACKINAW.

Here, instead of improving, the cool atmosphere seemed to add to the pain, and at length, by the advice of Judge David Davis, whom he met there, and others of his friends, he resolved to go to New York and put himself under charge of Dr. Hammond. Arriving at New York, his first business was to make an engagement for the same day at 2 o'clock with the eminent physician. At the hour named he was accorded an interview, which was brief and to the point. Having stated who he was and his trouble, the Doctor asked him several questions, and then told him he believed

SOMETHING WAS THE MATTER WITH HIS EAR.

"Could he hear as well with his right ear?" "Yes." "Sure?" "Yes." "Nothing ever the matter with it?" "No." After an experiment to test the action of the brain, the Doctor again returned to the charge that there was something the matter with his ear. The Colonel sorrowfully denied this, and felt hopeless. "I will prove it to you," said the Doctor; and, by holding his watch to his ear, and gradually removing it, he convinced him that he could hear four feet from him on the left side, and only three feet on the right. "So here it is," said the Doctor, and taking his patient into a darkened room, with the aid of a microscope he soon convinced himself that there was something growing to the inside of the ear, which had pressed upon the nerves of the brain and was already causing paralysis. Three days more and his patient would have no use for his services. He would be beyond all human aid. But the ear could not be touched with the probe until it was softened, and this took time.

The next morning the patient's tongue was paralyzed, and hung useless from the right side of his mouth. He could not eat. The end was certainly drawing near. That afternoon the surgeon resolved to attempt the task before him, that of cutting away from the proximity of the brain, and from the midst of the nerves and muscles that lead to it, and far in the inner chamber of the ear, the foreign substance which had grown there, and threatened death at any moment. The plan of such an operation could not be borne, so that part of the head was etherized and deadened by anæsthetics, and with an exquisitely delicate knife, crooked at the end, the ear was entered, and

A PIECE OF HARD GRIZZLE

the size of a hickorynut was finally removed, in two parts, without cutting the ear in the least, and without sensible pain. This grizzle, upon microscopic examination, proved to be a bundle of nerves, and the case and treatment are believed to be without parallel. It had been growing for several years, and had almost touched a vital part, and, as disclosed, had already paralyzed the tongue. With its removal Col. Taylor rapidly recovered, and is now at the Grand Pacific Hotel in a fair way of enjoying many years of life in which to be thankful for his almost miraculous escape.

THE DEPOPULATION OF IRELAND

Loss of About 3,000,000 in Thirty Years.

A Dublin letter to the New York *World* says the population of Ireland decreased 1,622,319 persons between the years 1841–51, by 755,814 in the next decade, and by 293,208 between the years 1861–71. There is reason to believe that this decrease by the end of the present decade will have wholly ceased—that is, that the emigration will not exceed the natural increase of the population. The condition of the country is now really prosperous. Wages have greatly advanced in consequence of the limited supply of laborers. The reform of the land law has had a most excellent effect, and not unfrequently Irishmen return from America with fortunes gained there, to take up their abode in their native land. The aggregate investments in Government stocks, joint stock banks and savings banks in 1864 were £54,888,000; but on June 30, 1874, they were £67,362,000—an increase of 23 per cent. in ten years. The value of live stock in 1864 was £30,728,910; in 1874 it was £37,225,887. It is to be remarked that although in thirty years Ireland has lost about 3,000,000 of her people, the relative proportion of Catholics and Protestants remains almost unchanged. In Munster in 1861, 938 out of every 1,000 were Catholics; the proportion now is 936 to each 1,000. In Kerry, the Catholics in 1861, were 967 in each 1,000, they now are 968 in 1,000. In "Protestant" Ulster—which is Protestant only in name—there were 751 Catholics in each 1,000 in 1861; now there are 756 to each 1,000.

Forrest's Estate.

A Philadelphia correspondent says it will astonish your readers to be told that the great American actor's will has been a very stumbling block to the executors and it will be painful reading for you to learn that the actor's housekeeper, the actor's business manager, and the actor's executors have not amicably hitched horses. Mr. Forrest had two female servants, sisters, that he found for years faithful and true to him. It was supposed that the good servants would have some provision made for them, but no; they were not mentioned in the will. The business manager too, Mr. McArdle, had served Mr. Forrest well for years, but, unfortunately, by some accident, had lost $3,000 of the actor's money, and instead of finding an item friendly to him in the will, one charging him with this $3,000 was found. The opening of the will, of course, made consternation, and Mr. Dan Dougherty, one of the executors, thought it best to shut up the Forest brown stone mansion on Broad street. In an exceedingly shabby manner, he offered to pay the women one week's salary if they would leave the house. His principal reason for getting rid of them, it was supposed, was to prevent Mr. McArdle from having shelter in it. The women became indignant and left, refusing the pittance which Dan had offered them. But Dan failed so far as McArdle was concerned, for he stuck, and sticks to this day, and the neighbors say, that the late comings and goings into the once loved mansion of the actor would now make him turn in his coffin, if it is granted him to keep an eye over the corner of Broad and Master streets in this City of Brotherly Love.

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TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

Suicide of a Lancaster German and Unnatural Conduct of his Wife.

A terrible tragedy is reported from Lower Marietta, Lancaster county. It appears that a man named Strauss, a German by birth, has been living unhappily with his wife for some time past. He is an employe at Watts & Sons' furnaces, and is said to have been a good and faithful hand. Seven or eight years ago he was married to a woman named Annie Grady. The couple never were blessed with children, and on this account there arose ill-feelings between man and wife. Strauss is described as being a tall and handsome-looking fellow, while his wife is his inferior in point of physical proportions. Wednesday night Strauss came home from his work about 8 o'clock, and upon his arrival he was greeted with a storm of abuse from his wife. He made no remarks, but quickly pulled a revolver from one of his pockets and fired the contents of one chamber at his wife. She, seeing the revolver, leaped to one side, thus escaping the deadly bullet. Strauss, upon seeing that his aim had proved false, dropped the revolver and ran into the yard. He went up into the lot about half way, drew a razor from his pocket and deliberately cut his throat, the gash extending from ear to ear. In a few moments he was a corpse. The alarm was quickly given and a crowd gathered. An inquest on the remains was held, the verdict of the jury being "suicide by his own hand." It was said that the wife, after having witnessed the suicide of her husband, refused to have the body of her husband brought into the house, allowing that she had been badly treated during life and she cared not to have the trouble with the body in death. The deputy coroner, however, procured a coffin and the body of the suicide was placed within it. During all the silent hours of the night the corpse was allowed to remain in the yard, with but a solitary person to watch over it.

TERRIBLE CATASTROPHE AT SEA.

Sixteen Persons Burned to Death.

The Manchester *Examiner* of September 10 says: "The journals of Finland give an account of the conflagration of the steamer Oestenbotten, which has resulted in the loss of sixteen lives. It appears that the fire was caused by the carelessness of a young man on board, who threw away a lighted match which he had just used for his cigar. It fell into a heap of tow, which was speedily in a blaze, and could not be extinguished. The heat soon drove the helmsman from the wheel, and the engines shortly afterwards stopped. Anchor was cast, and the vessel swinging round to the wind, the flames were driven toward the stern, where most of the passengers were dining. Panic and confusion ensued; two boats were launched, but one was overloaded and sank, and the other was upset, her freight for the most part being afterwards saved. It is said that two sailing vessels, one from Sweden and another from the Aland Islands, passed by without attempting to afford any aid. A Norwegian captain, on the other hand, threw himself into the water with a rope round his body, and succeeded in saving many lives. The papers of the ship being destroyed, the number of the passengers is not known, but it is said to have been about one hundred, and the deaths of sixteen are said to be ascertained."

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New Fall Shawls, of every description.
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Ladies', Misses' & Children's Stockings, Gloves, Underwear, &c.,
OF ALL QUALITIES AND SIZES.

New Dress Goods at Exceedingly Low Prices!
In addition to the very attractive stock of Dress Goods opened the early part of the week, as per our advertisements of last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, we desire to call attention to the following:
At 50c, All Wool French Merinos, full width, in desirable colors—an unusual bargain.
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Medium and Fine Black Cashmeres, at low prices.
An extraordinary bargain in the finest quality of Cashmeres, in new colors.
Extra bargains in Black Mohair Alpacas.
New Colored Alpacas and Poplins.
Children's Dress Goods, in great variety.
New Mourning Dress Goods.
At 50c, Another lot of Fine Black Cashmeres.
At 12½c, 18¾c and 25c, Extra bargains in New Fall Dress Goods.

WE STILL CONTINUE OUR MOST
Remarkable Bargains in Muslins, Calicos and Domestic Dry Goods.
At 4c, 5c and 6¼c, Good Fast Colored Calicos.
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At 12½c, Yard Wide Dark Chintz Calico, fast colors.
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At 10c, Yard Wide Undressed Bleached Muslin, extra good.
Bargains in Linen Towels, Towelings, &c.

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JOS. HORNE & CO.,
197 AND 199
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We are now receiving our EARLY FALL STOCK of
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and invite particular attention to the following lines opening this week:
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All Sizes and New Styles.
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In all the Newest Shapes.
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PROPOSALS.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, September 25, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED Proposals will be received at this office until FRIDAY, the 2d day of October, 1874, at 2 P. M., for the following work:

MASONRY.

Arch Culvert under Winebiddle street, Sixteenth ward.

Plans and specifications can be seen and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received after 2 P. M.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids, should they deem it necessary for the interest of the property owners of the city.

A. DEMPSTER,
City Engineer.
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Notice to Bridge Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the County Controller until SATURDAY, the 26th day of September, inst., for construction of the superstructure of a WOODEN BRIDGE of two spans over Puckety Creek, on the line between the counties of Allegheny and Westmoreland, and also for a BRIDGE of single span over Miller's run, near Collins' mill, in South Fayette township, together with repairs of masonry for the same. Plans and specifications will be found in the office of the County Engineer on and after Thursday, the 17th inst.

J. B. STILLEY,
County Engineer.
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OFFICE OF
CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
PITTSBURGH, PA., Sept 24, 1874.

Notice to Tinsmiths

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until OCTOBER 2d, inclusive, for COVERING THE STEAM RADIATORS IN THE COUNTY JAIL WITH SHEET IRON BOXES, in accordance with specifications for same on exhibition at the Warden's office.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Sheet Iron Boxes."

HENRY WARNER,
County Controller.
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OFFICE OF THE
CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
PITTSBURGH, Sept. 24, 1874.

Notice to Painters.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until SEPTEMBER 30th, inclusive for PAINTING THE INTERIOR OF THE COUNTY JAIL, in accordance with specifications now on exhibition at the Warden's office.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Painting."

HENRY WARNER,
County Controller.
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OFFICE OF
CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
PITTSBURGH, PA., Sept. 24, 1874.

Notice to Printers.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until the 28th of SEPTEMBER, inclusive, for PRINTING THE BLANKS USED BY THE SEVERAL COUNTY OFFICES, for a period of one year from the first day of October, prox.

Full information will be furnished on application at this office.

HENRY WARNER,
County Controller.
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PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY.
Office of the Superintendent of Eastern Division,
PITTSBURGH, PA., Sept. 19, 1874.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS office until 4 o'clock P. M., SATURDAY, September 26th, 1874, for the

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GEO. S. GRISCOM,
Acting Superintendent.
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TO STREET CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.—CURB STONES and SUPERIOR BUILDING STONES delivered by P., Ft. W. and C. R. R., from Beaver Falls Quarries on short notice.
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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, PA., Sept. 25, 1874.

NOTICE—THE ASSESSMENTS FOR the construction of the Stockton avenue sewer, from Federal street to a point 45 feet east of East Diamond street; the Cedar alley sewer, from Ohio avenue to Pine alley (Ninth ward), and the Bird alley sewer, from Allegheny River to Robinson street, are now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, October 6th, 1874, when they will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.

CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.
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OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Sept. 15, 1874.

Notice to Parties Interested

The report of the Viewers on the opening of KERR STREET, from Preble avenue to Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad having been finally confirmed, notice is hereby given that the assessments for benefits are now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer. If not paid within sixty days from this date, liens will be filed upon the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.

JAMES BROWN,
Controller.
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OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Sept. 12, 1874.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR Grading and Paving HAINES ALLEY, from Manhattan street to Locust street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until WEDNESDAY, September 23d, 1874, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.

CHARLES DAVIS,
City Engineer.
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APPLICATION FOR CHARTER

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COMMITTEE ON CHARTER.
September 18, 1874. se19-g78-8

PROCLAMATION.

City of Pittsburgh, SS.

WHEREAS, By the resignations of Charles Jeremy, member of the Select Council from the Seventh ward, and J. P. McKee, member of the Select Council from the Thirty-fifth ward, vacancies have been created in said Select Council;

AND WHEREAS, The City Councils have, by resolution, requested that elections be held in said Seventh and Thirty-fifth wards, to fill said vacancies;

Now, therefore, I, JAMES BLACKMORE, Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh, do issue this my Proclamation, calling upon the citizens of the Seventh and Thirty-fifth wards, respectively, to assemble at their usual voting places, on TUESDAY, the 29th day of September, 1874, and elect by ballot persons to fill vacancies in the Select Council, occasioned by resignations, as aforesaid.

The electors of the Seventh ward of the City of Pittsburgh to meet at the Public School House in said ward, and elect one person to serve as member of Select Council for the unexpired term of Charles Jeremy, resigned.

The electors of the Thirty-fifth ward of the City of Pittsburgh to meet at the Stone Tavern, kept by Robt. Smith, in said ward, and elect one member of Select Council for the unexpired term of J. P. McKee, resigned.

{ L. S. } In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Pittsburgh, this 17th day of September, A. D. 1874.

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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, September 26, 1874.

While there is nothing specially new in the merely monetary departments, the tendency toward revival in business continues to manifest itself in various ways. We heard yesterday of a person offering a large bonus for stock in one of our iron mills, the offerer being a capitalist and an expert in the business. The prevailing belief is, that the worst results of the panic have been overcome, and that confidence is beginning to reassert itself very perceptibly. With this, the full resumption of activity will not long be deferred. Inquiry as to the actual business done among our mills, seems to show beyond dispute that the process of revival in almost every branch of manufactures is progressive in many sections of the country. Embraced in these are new iron works and blast furnaces building, and idle ones starting up; steel works, copper works, woolen and cotton mills, paper mills, and forms of manufacture are increasing in volume and activity from time to time. These are certainly hopeful signs of the times, for with the revival of manufactures employment will be afforded the masses, enabling them to purchase more freely of the necessaries if not the luxuries of life. This in time will restart the wheels of trade, which, it must be admitted, have not moved as smoothly as they might, because, in good part, of this very fact. The revival is less noticeable in the cotton and woolen manufactures than in the other industries, a circumstance which has its explanation in the present peculiar condition of that market; but it is measurably a revival, nevertheless.

A number of gentleman of this and other cities of this State, engaged in the manufacture of car wheels, axles and cars, have formed an association under the name of the "Railway Equipment Trust of Pennsylvania," for the purpose of constructing cars, to be leased to railroad companies at a rental which, after paying an interest of eight per cent. upon the cost of the cars, will leave a surplus applicable to the payment of such cost, and by this process the railroad companies leasing gradually become the owners of the cars. The capital of this association has been fixed at $3,000,000, and contracts have about been closed for the construction of one thousand cars, at a cost of $600 per car. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, with the view of meeting the demands made upon them by the managers of the various coal properties seeking outlets over their lines, as well as the requirements of the properties owned by themselves, propose to lease these cars from the association. The ordinary car service allowed to connecting lines will be appropriated to pay the interest or rental of eight per cent., and the balance of that fund will be applied from time to time to extinguish the principal, so that within the period of a few years the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, out of the savings thus made, expect to own the whole of the cars they take in this form.

A general meeting of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is called for the 3d of October, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Musical Fund Hall, in this city, for the purpose of receiving and acting on the report of the committee of investigation, which is just now being published, together with the resolutions suggested by the committee. This report should receive the careful reading of every stockholder and as many as can should be in attendance prepared to vote intelligently on each proposition as it comes up.

The "Empire" Fast Freight line on the Pennsylvania railroad, and on the Cumberland Valley, Northern Central and Philadelphia and Erie railroads, will be withdrawn from and after October 1, next, and freights on the designated points on the roads named will be carried by the Pennsylvania Railroad Fast Local Freight. Freight will be received at the depot, Fifteenth and Market streets, and promptly forwarded on fast freight trains to above stations without change of cars.

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Closed.
Gold	109⅜	109⅜
U. S. Sixes—1881—coupons	117⅝	117⅝
5-20 1862	112⅝	112⅝
5-20—1864	115	114¾
" 1865	115¼	115½
" 1865 new	115⅝	115⅝
" 1867	117	116⅝
" 1868—coupons	117	116¾
10-40's	110⅜	110⅜
Currency 6's	117⅜	117⅜
New 5 per cents	111⅝	111⅝
10-40's—coupons	111⅜	111⅜
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central	101⅜	101⅜
Erie	37⅝	37⅝
I. C.	91	91¾
B. H & E.	1⅛	1⅛
C. C. & I. C.	12	12⅜
St. Paul	34¼	34⅛
Do. Preferred	53	53⅛
Michigan Southern	76⅝	77⅛
Do Central	76	77
North Western Common	38⅝	38⅝
Do. Pref	57	56
Rock Island	103	103⅜
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	87¾	
Pacific Mail	48⅝	49⅜
Western Union Telegraph	78⅝	79⅛
Ohio & Mississippi	26⅜	26⅜
Union Pacific	36⅝	37⅝
Toledo & Wabash	33	33⅜
Harlem	128	127
Chicago & Alton	98	
Adams Express	107⅜	107
American Express	61⅛	61⅛
U. S. Express	61⅛	62⅛
W. Fargo & Co. Express	78⅛	78⅛
Quicksilver	31⅝	
Fort Wayne		91
Panama	115	115⅛
Merchants Union Express	17⅛	19⅛
Hannibal and St. Joseph	26¾	27
N. J. Central	105⅝	
Money		2
A & P. Pref.	18⅛	18⅛
Iron Mountain	15⅛	15
Terre Haute	5	8

Messrs. Robinson Bros., bankers, No. 75 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.
Penna Central	54	
" " scrip	104	
Reading	56⅜	
United Co.'s of N. J.	124⅛	124⅜
Oil Creek	8⅜	
Lehigh Valley	61⅛	62¾
Central Transportation	44⅛	45
Empire do	55	57⅛
A. V. R. R. 7-30	88⅛	90
P. C. & St. L. 7's	63⅛	

NEW YORK, September 25, 1874.

The customs receipts were $324,000, and the Treasury disbursements $173,000. The dry goods imports for the week were $2,300,626. An Albany dispatch says bids for the State loan of $2,000,000 amounted $8,000,000 gold at par to 105¼. The whole loan was taken by the Controller for the Sinking Fund at 103 gold. Money 2@2½; prime discounts 5@6. Sterling was firmer at 483½@483¾ for sixty days and 486@486¼ for sight. Gold 109¼@109⅜, the only two prices. The borrowing rate was 1@2 per cent. The clearings were $18,000,000. State bonds were quiet and steady. In railroad bonds the principal activity was in Pacifics, Chicago & Northwestern consolidated gold and New York Central sixes. C. C. & I. C firsts fell to 72¼, but rallied to 73. Governments were firm. Stocks were somewhat erratic, but with a general advancing tendency the market closed strong ¼@1¾ above the lowest point, and at generally the highest prices of the day. The sales aggregated 200,000 shares, of which 20,000 were Western Union, 31,000 Pacific Mail, 6,400 Erie, 42,000 Lake Shore, 30,200 Union Pacific, 21,000 Northwestern, 6,800 Rock Island, 6,500 St. Paul, 6,900 Wabash, 6,700 Ohios, and 14,000 C. C. & I. C.

Governments.—U. S. coupons of 1881, 117⅝; 5-20s of '62, 112⅝; do of '64, 114¾; do '65 115⅜; do new, '65, 115⅝; do of '67, 116⅝; do of '68, 116¾; new 5s, 111⅝; 10 40s, 111⅜; currency 6s, 117⅜.

State Bonds.—Missouri sixes, 94¼; Tennessee, old, 75¼; do new, 74; Virginia, new, 28; do old, 28; North Carolina, old, 20; do new, 12½.

Stocks.—Canton, 54; Western Union Telegraph Company, 79¼; Quicksilver, 32; Adams Express, 107¾; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, 79; American Express, 61¼; United States Express, 65½; Pacific Mail, 49⅜; N. Y. Central, 101⅝; Erie, 37⅜; do preferred, 58; Harlem, 128¼; do preferred, 125; Michigan Central, 77¼; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 87¼; Northwestern common, 38⅜; do preferred, 56; Rock Island, 103⅜; New Jersey Central, 105½; St. Paul, 34¼; do preferred, 53¼; Toledo & Wabash, 33⅜; do preferred, 65; Ft. Wayne, 90¼; Terre Haute, 8; do preferred, 25; Chicago & Alton, 97; do preferred, 100; Ohio & Mississippi, 26⅜; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 69; Burlington & Quincy, 102¼; Lake Shore, 77⅜; Panama, 12¼; Illinois Central, 91; Union Pacific, 37⅝; Central Pacific, 92¼; Union, 89; Hartford & Erie, 1; Delaware & Lackawanna, 118¼.

LONDON, September 25—5 P. M.—Consols: money 92¼. Account 92⅜; 5-20s of '65 108¼; do '67, 109¾; 10-40s, 104¼; new 5s, 104¼. N. Y. Central, 96; Erie, 35; do preferred, 55.

PARIS, September 25.—Rentes 63f 37½c.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, Sept. 25, 1874.

The general markets were devoid of any new features yesterday. There was a fair amount of activity up to eleven o'clock in the forenoon, but the transactions after that hour exhibited a considerable falling off in the demand for almost all articles of trade. The fruit market, which has been very active for several weeks, also gives evidence of a letting down, as the receipts of nearly every variety of fruit show a falling off. This is especially true of peaches, for which there is still a good demand. Those now offered for sale are small and of an inferior quality. Persons who have failed to take advantage of the great quantity of this luscious fruit offered this season, find that the golden opportunity has slipped away from their grasp. Grapes, pears and apples are in good supply, of excellent quality, and are being sold at very low prices. The grocery branch is also more active, with some excitement in Coffee, under the effect of a reported advance on the green bean in the Eastern markets. In Provisions there is a steady demand, but prices are firm and unchanged. Wheat is also steady. Oats have taken a backward movement, and prices are reported weaker.

Below will be found the current rates in the leading branches, together with the feeling of the market in detail:

APPLES—Continue in light demand, and the receipts are still heavy—prices are unchanged, with occasional sales at $1@2 ₰ brl.

BUTTER—The market is steady, and prices are firm for the finer grades, and the supply of the latter continues light. Sales at 33@35 for prime to choice and 25@35 for medium to fair.

CHEESE—Is still firm at the recent advance, but the receipts fall short of the demand. We continue to quote prices at 14½@15 for Ohio Factory and 15@15½c for New York.

EGGS—The receipts are moderate, but the demand is an average one, and prices are firm and tending upward; we now quote strictly fresh at 2 c ₰ dozen.

FLOUR—The market, in sympathy with Wheat, continues strong, though no change in prices is noted. Sales spring wheat flours at $6.25@6.75 for Wisconsins and $7@7.50 for Minnesotas, the latter figure for choice old stock; red winters, $6@6.50.

GROCERIES—The grocery market continues fairly active, with a steady local demand. Advices from the East report green Coffee up fully one cent per pound, and a corresponding advance may be looked for in this market speedily. Prices are generally unchanged, and we continue to quote as follows:

SUGARS.—Hard, 12⅜ A. 11½c; B, 11¼c; Ex. C, 11⅛; Yellows, 8¾ to 10½c; Demerara 11⅜@11c; P. R. 9⅝ to 10c.

COFFEE.—Fancy Roasted, 25c; loose, 24½c. Choice Rio, 25; prime, 24c; good, 22c. Java, 31.

SYRUPS—Fancy Maple, 75, prime, 70; fair, 70; N. O. Molasses—Choice, 88, prime, 85, fair, 80@83; choice Demerara Molasses, 75, prime, 68.

RICE—Choice Carolina, 9, prime, 8¾; Patna 8½c, Rangoon, 7¾.

GRAIN—The market indicates less activity than usual, although the demand for all the Wheat offering is very fair. The receipts of Wheat are ample, and we continue to quote Penna and Ohio red winters, $1.12@1.15; amber and white, $1.18@1.20. The Oat market was also weakened somewhat; sales at 59@60 on track, and the usual advance from store. Corn continues firm, and in limited supply, but the demand is only fair; we continue to quote shelled at 90@91. There is little or nothing doing in either Rye or Barley, and, in the absence of sales, we omit quotations.

HONEY—Scarce at 35c per pound in glass boxes.

HAY—The receipts of baled continue liberal, and with stocks accumulating, the market is dull, although prices are not quotably lower, ranging from $20@23 ₰ ton.

ONIONS—Are coming in freely, but with a steady demand, there has been no accumulation as yet, and prices are sustained, ranging from $3@4 ₰ brl.

POTATOES—The market continues well supplied, but the demand is steady. Sales at 70@75. Sweets selling at $3@3.50 for Baltimores and $4.50@5 for Jerseys.

POULTRY—Live chickens are in light offering, with sales at 40@50c, according to size.

PROVISIONS—The market is still moderately active, with an increased jobbing demand; prices are firm but generally unchanged. Following are the current rates: Hams—Extra Sugar Cured, ₰ lb, 15. Shoulders—Extra Sugar Cured, 12; Breakfast Bacon—Sugar Cured, 16½c; Dried Beef—Ex Sugar Cured, 16½. Bacon—Shoulders, 11½c per pound; Clear Sides, 16¾ cts. Mess Pork, ₰ barrel, $21; Lard—Refined for summer use in trcs. 16; hlf brls. 16½; bkts, 17; 3 lb caddies, 17¼; 5 lb. do, 17¼. 3 lb. pails, 18; 5 lb. do, 17¾; 6 lb do, 17½.

RAGS—Woolen, ½c; cotton, 2¼@3.

SEEDS—Timothy Seed quoted at $2.90@3 ₰ bushel to the trade and $3.15@3.25 in a jobbing way.

TALLOW—City; 8, country, 6½@7.

PITTSBURGH IRON MARKET—WEEKLY REVIEW.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, Sept. 25, 1874.

PIG IRON.

The pig iron market has presented an unchanged front during the past week. The rolling mills are still pursuing the hand-to-mouth policy, buying only only such quantities as may be necessary to cover orders already in hand. This naturally produces a quiet market, and preserves a steadiness indicative of increasing healthfulness. No desire is manifested to bear the market—manufacturers conceding that so far as pig iron is concerned, hard pan has been reached. The relative prices of pig and bar now inures to the benefit of the manufacturer giving him at present a reasonable margin—at the expense, however, of the furnaceman. The natural effect of this condition of the situation is to restrain the production of pig iron, which has now reached such a point in the Mahoning and Shenango Valleys as to afford no surplus above actual daily requirements. This fact, taken in connection with the absolute withdrawal of Eastern metals from this market, because of inadequacy of price, would indicate that any change is most likely to be an improvement, and a hardening, if not an actual advance, of prices. Some of the more conservative thinkers are inclined to postpone any improvement until the advent of another year. But others, taking comprehensive views of the magnitude of our crops both South and West—the demand, both at home and abroad, which has already set in—the great extent to which our rail roads are likely to be taxed for transportation, and the prevailing ease of the money market—both East and West—see in these great facts a certain melting away of any lingering effects of the panic of '73, and a growing, steady and continuous improvement in all branches of business upon a more healthy and sound basis than for some years past. With these potent facts before us, it is only necessary to extend a little more confidence one to the other—to reach a helping hand here and there, and to extend a little more faith in the grand future yet to be realized by our business men, in order to dispel every cloud which has overshadowed us during the past year, and let in once more the full effulgence of the sun of prosperity. The following sales were reported:

BITUMINOUS COAL SMELTED FROM L. S. ORE.		
100 tons White and Mottled	24 00	4 mos
100 tons Close Gray	26 00	4 mos
100 tons White and Mottled	private	
40 tons No 1 Foundry	28 00	4 mos
10 tons No 1 Foundry	29 00	4 mos
CONNELLSVILLE COKE		
150 tons Gray Forge	25 50	cash
100 tons White and Mottled	24 00	cash
100 tons Gray Forge	26 50	4 mos
10 tons No 2 Foundry	27 50	4 mos
10 tons No 1 Foundry	29 00	4 mos
CHARCOAL HANGING ROCK.		
70 tons Cold Blast	55 00	4 mos
23 tons Hot Blast Foundry No. 1	36 to 37 00	4 mos
25 tons Mill Iron	31 00	4 mos
ALLEGHENY COKE.		
100 tons Red Bank	28 00	4 mos
BLOOMS.		
100 tons No. 1 Juniata	85 00	5 mos

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, Sept. 25, 1874.

We note a slight improvement in the Oil market as compared with yesterday. Sales of refined for prompt delivery were reported at 12c, and 12 1-16 bid for delivery on October 1st, to suit vessel. The market closed quiet and firm. Crude Oil also in better demand and held at 92½c, with buyers at 90c. Eastern parties are the principal buyers, as they wish to take advantage of the present low rate of freight to the East. Oil Barrels steady at $1.45 for cities; countries nominally quoted at $1.30@1.35. Oil barrel staves are quoted at $35 per thousand, the asking price, but they would hardly bring $30 in the market. The demand at present is limited.

REFINED OIL SHIPPED EAST BY ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls
Waring Bros	Waring Bros., Phila.	1,72
Citizens	Tack Bros., do.	52
Lockhart & F	Warden F & Co., do	9,4
Warden & Co	Warden F & Co do	265
Livingston & Co.,	Warden F & Co., do	30
Central	J P Logan do	474
National	Warden F & Co do	416
Spear	W Smith York	52
Total		4,649

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls
Fisher Bros	Vesta O W	241
Fisher Bros	Sunbeam O W	218
Tack M & Co	Citizens O W	622
McKelvy	Cosmos O W	148
Fisher Bros	Cosmos O W	32
Stevenson	Peerless O W	921
Tack M & Co	Citizens O W	610
Fisher Bros	Sunbeam O W	74
Stevenson	Liberty O W	585
Total		3,704

IRON AND METALS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25, 1874.—IRON—American Pig—The price continues to be $30 for No. 1 Foundry, and $28 for No. 2, for prime Lehigh brands, and less popular brands have been selling cheaper, as they always must. There is still a great pressure to sell, and some outside lots are offered at extremely low prices without takers. Although a considerable quantity of Iron has been sold, there were no large or noteworthy sales. We quote No. 1 Foundry, $30; No. 2 Foundry, $28; Gray forge, $25@27. Scotch Pig—The stock here and the demand continue small, and little of moment has been done. We note the sale of 200 tons Eglinton at $31.25. We quote Glengarnock, $37@38, and Eglinton, $35. Our cablegram to-day, reports an improvement in the Glasgow market. Bar—There is no change to note in the prices of either mills or stores. We continue to quote Refined from mill, 3 cents ₰ lb. Rails—Nothing has been done in Foreign. We note the sale of four thousand tons American on private terms. We quote Welsh, $48@50, gold, and American $55, at works. Old Rails.—About two thousand tons have been sold for mill delivery at $33, equal to about $28 here. A great many are offering by railroads, which are underselling other holders. Scrap.—Scrap from yard is now quoted $33@35. We note the sale of 500 tons, New Bedford delivery, part at $33 and part at $35.

METALS:—Copper.—The week's sales sum up 300,000 pounds Lake, on the spot, to actual consumers, at 21c, and the market is remarkably strong, with large orders at 20¾@20½c. cash, but no sellers at this. Aside from these domestic orders, there are some for export, amounting altogether to 500,000 pounds, at the limit of 20⅛@20¼c. Lead.—Not much animation can be reported with respect to this metal, with which we are, from all appearances, returning to dull times once more. The Government sold some 500 tons at 6c, gold, and since then 200 tons Domestic have changed hands at 6 05@6.10c. gold. As regards the general tone of the market, it has, however, to be put down as decidedly strong, which specially refers also to Foreign, firmly held at 6⅛@6⅜c, gold, the accounts from abroad continuing quite buoyant. Tin.—This metal is unusually firm at 21⅜@21c, gold, for Straits, the firmness checking dealings for the present.—Iron Age.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, September 25, 1874.

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat quiet and weak; No. 1 spring $1.20¾; No. 2 97¾c spot or seller September; 93⅞c seller October; No. 3 88@89c; rejected 83½@85c. Corn active and unsettled; No. 2 mixed 81½c spot; 81c bid seller September; 79½c bid seller October. Oats: demand active and prices advanced; No. 2 49¾c spot or seller September; 49½c seller October; rejected 49½c. Rye dull and nominal; No. 1 90c. Barley steady and in moderate demand; No. 2 $1.04 bid spot or seller September; $1.00¼ bid seller October.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull and declined; $21.75@22.25 spot. Lard dull and lower; $11.65 seller year. Bulk meats dull and nominal.

WHISKY—$1.03.

CORNMEAL—$4.00.

BRAN—17½c.

New York.

NEW YORK, September 25.—Flour: receipts 9,500 bbls. buyers' favor; only very moderate export and home trade demand; superfine Western and State $4.45@5.00; common to good $5.00@5.35; good to choice $5.50@5.85; white wheat extra $5.85@6.30; extra Ohio $5.70@6.85; St. Louis $5.35@9.00—closing steady. Wheat 1c lower; fair business doing; receipts 318,000 bushels; No 3 spring $1.04@1.07; No 2 Chicago $1.08@1.10, ungraded and Iowa spring $1.07@1.26; white Western $1.26@1.40. Rye quiet; 90@98c. Barley scarce and firmly held. Malt steady and in moderate demand. Corn: receipts 300,000 bushels; heavy, 1c lower, and closed with the decline recovered from; active and firm; 94@95c for western mixed; 95c for yellow western; $1.00 for white. Oats: Receipts 31,000 bushels; lower and fairly active; 60@63½c for mixed western; 60@61c for white. Hay and grass unchanged. Coffee firmer; 15½@20c. Sugar quiet; 8¼@8⅝c. Molasses unchanged. Rice quiet. Petroleum quiet; crude 5½c; refined 12½c. Rosin dull; $2.40@2.45. Turpentine firm; 36½c. Pork dull; $23. Beef quiet; $12.50@13.50. Cut meats steady; middles quiet; 13⅝@13¾c. Lard firmer; 14½c. Butter firm; 25@35c. Cheese firm; 11½@14c. Whisky dull; $1.07½@1.08.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, September 25.—Flour dull; treble $5@6; choice $7@7.50. Corn quiet; mixed 98c; white $1.00. Oats quiet; prime 65c; choice 68c. Bran light supply; dull; held 12c. Hay good supply; dull; prime $25; choice $26. Pork dull; $26@26.50. Dry salt meats dull; shoulders held 10½c. Bacon dull; held 11, 16¼@17c. Hams, choice: scarce; 15@15½; ordinary plenty; 13@14c. Lard: light supply; tierce 16c; keg 16½c. Sugar: good demand; common 8¾c; fully fair 9¼@9¾c; prime 10¼c; choice 10½c; yellow clarified 10¾@10⅞c. Stock 400 hhds. Molasses; no Louisiana on hand. Whisky $1.07; western $1.07@$1.12. Coffee firm; fair to prime 17@20c. Corn lower, $4.25.

Foreign.

LONDON, September 25—5 P. M.—Refined petroleum 9¼d; spirits 14¼@15d.

LIVERPOOL, September 25.—Cotton quieter; middling 7⅝d; Orleans 8¼d; sales of 12,000 bales, including 4,000 bales for speculation and export, and 7,400 American. Breadstuffs dull; red Western spring wheat at 8s 6d@9s 4d. Flour 23s 6d@24s 6d for Western canal. Receipts of wheat for the past three days 45,000 qrs, including 39,000 American. Pork: New mess at 78s. Tallow at 49s. Refined petroleum 11d. Yarns and fabrics at Manchester quiet and unchanged.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, September 25.—Cotton quiet; 15½c. Flour dull; family $5.25@5.50. Wheat dull and nominal. Corn firm; 85@87c. Rye firm; $1.00@1.01. Oats firm; 54@57c. Barley steady and unchanged. Lard: nothing doing. Bulk meats dull; asking for shoulders 9½c, clear rib sides 14½c; clear sides nominal. Bacon dull and unsettled, only jobbing trade; 10½@15½@16¼c. Whisky steady and in moderate demand; $1.03.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, September 25.—Flour unchanged. Wheat steady; No. 1 red and amber Western $1.25@1.26; No. 2 do $1.23@1.24. Corn very dull at 95c. Oats firm at 62@65c. Rye dull at 96@$1. Provisions heavy. Pork $24. Bacon 16½c, 10⅝c, 15½c, 15¾c. Hams dull at 14@16c. Lard: refined 15¼ for Western. Butter: strong choice: 30c. Coffee firm and unchanged. Petroleum firm at 4¾@4½c. Whisky firm and scarce at $1.07@$1.08.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, September 25.—Butter firm; western prime 32@33c; fair to good at 28@30. Cheese active; 12¾@13¼c. Eggs firm; 23@24c. Flour active; Extra $4.00@4.25. Wheat dull; red $1.18@1.22; amber $1.23@1.28. Rye held at $1.04@1.05. Corn in limited demand; $1.02. Oats active. 62@63c. Petroleum: refined held at 11⅞@12c; crude 8@8¼c in bbls., 4¼@4½c in bulk. Whisky quiet; $1.07.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, September 25.—Flour: steady and in moderate demand. Wheat: dull and declined; No 2 white Wabash, $1.19; No 3 do, $1.13; No 1 white Michigan, $1.15; extra do, $1.20; amber, $1.07. Corn: dull and nominal; high mixed seller October, 82c; low mixed, 83c asked; 82c offered; no grade, 82c. Oats: steady and in moderate demand; No 1, 53c; No 2, 52c; Michigan, 51½@52c; white, 54c.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, September 25.—Cotton, flour, barley and rye unchanged. Wheat dull; No. 2 red $1.15@1.16. Corn easier at 80c. Oats dull and lower at 52½c@53c. Whisky firm at $1.04. Pork quiet at $24.25. Bacon firmer but quiet, with only a small order trade. Hogs dull and lower; stockers 4@4½c. Cattle dull; inferior 1@2½c; Texan 1½@4½c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, September 25.—Flour quite and unchanged. Wheat: demand fair and firm; No. 1 Milwaukee $1.02; No. 2, 95⅛. Oats lower; No. 2, 48¼@48¾c. Corn steady and in moderate demand; No. 2 mixed 80c. Rye dull; No. 1 91c. Barley unsettled and in good demand; No. 2, $1.14; No. 3, 84c.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, September 25.—Cotton quiet; 15½c. Flour, grain and pork unchanged. Bacon quiet; 10¾@15½@16⅝. Sugar cured hams 14c. Bulk meats quiet; 9¼@14¼@15¼c. Lard 16½c. Whisky $1.03. Bagging: 2 pound Kentucky hemp 13¾@14¼c; flax and jute as to weight 14@14¾c.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, September 25.—Cotton quiet and unchanged. Flour quiet and unchanged. Corn lower at $1@1.02. Oats firmer at 65@66c. Lard dull at 15⅞@16¾. Bacon lower; shoulders 10½c.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, September 25.—Cotton quiet at 13¾@14¼c. Flour quiet at $4.50@6.50. Wheat steady at $1.20. Corn steady at $1. Oats 65c. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Whisky: demand fair and market firm at $1.08.

Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, September 25.—Flour and wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn and oats in fair demand and market firm. Provisions: the stock exhausted. Hogs dull at 6@6½c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, September 25.—Wheat dull at $1.01@1.03. Corn dull at 83@85c. Oats dull and lower; No 1 State 54c; No 2 52c; white 55c. Petroleum unchanged.

Detroit.

DETROIT, September 25.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull; extra $1.18¾@1.19; No 1 $1.14½@1.15. Corn dull and unchanged at 93@95c. Oats dull and lower at 52c.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, N. Y., September 25.—Wheat lower; No. 1 Milwaukee club $1.20; extra white Michigan $1.31; red winter $1.20; red Wabash $1.13. Corn easier at 94c. Barley quiet and lower.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, September 25.—Beeves—Fresh, receipts 850 head, making 4,960 head for four days, against 5,140 head for the same time last week. The market is quiet and unchanged, with sales of common to choice native steers at from 9c per lb to dress 55 lbs, to 13c per lb to dress 58 lbs, and 1 car load of common Cherokee cattle at 7½c per lb to dress 55 lbs. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 4,660 head, making 18,860 head for four days, against 10,460 head for the same time last week. The market was easier, and ¼c per lb lower. Poor to prime sheep ranged 4½@6¼c per lb, and lambs 6¼@8¼c per lb. Swine—Arrivals 3,950 head, making 14,530 head for the same time last week. Live hogs at 6¾@7¾c per lb, with ordinary grass fed Ohio hogs sold at 7c, and good State dairy fed at 7¾c. Dressed hogs firmer at 9⅛@9⅜c for grass fed, and 9¼@9¾c for corn fed.

BUFFALO, September 25.—Cattle receipts today 1,377, making total for week thus far 10,421; not sufficient sales to establish a market; all fresh arrivals through consignments; the yards all bare of all stock, except through odds and ends. Sheep and lambs: receipts to-day 1,000, making total for the week thus far 14,000; the market closed firm. Canada lambs: $6.@6.87½; Canada sheep: $4@5; Western sheep: $4@5.23. Hogs: receipts to-day 8,400 head, making total for the week thus far 28,290 head; the market was fairly active with pens full of hogs; prices steady, and lower, Yorkers $6@6.50; heavy hogs $7@7.50.

ALBANY, September 25.—Cattle market opens with receipts of 616 car loads since last Friday, against 574 the week previous; average quality not as good; sales to-day 1,105 head; good to choice about same as last week; common ¼ to ½c lower; only ten milch cows in market; they sold at $45@60 per head. Sheep: sold fairly; Canada ½c higher; others unchanged. Lambs: ¼c off; common to fair 6@7; fair to good 7@7½c; extra 7¾c; very choice 8c. In pens at noon 6 car loads of lambs; 5 of sheep.

Wool.

PHILADELPHIA, September 25.—Wool firmer and in good demand. Stock scarce. Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia double extra and above 55@56c; extra 54@55c; medium 55@57½c; coarse 50c. New York, Michigan, Indiana and western fine 47@51c; medium 54@56c; coarse 50c; combing washed 60@65c; do. unwashed 42@43c; No. 1 and superfine pulled 45@48c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, September 25.—There was an active jobbing movement and increased animation in the package trade. Cotton goods are unchanged in prices and in rather better request. Cotton flannels are selling freely, and are closely sold up to production. Prints are more active, especially 8½c makes. The *Daily Bulletin* says: Six thousand pieces of French dress goods will be sold at auction on Tuesday next.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, September 25.—Cotton unchanged; sales of 840 bales; net receipts, 129; gross, 826; futures closed steady; sales 21,200 September 16 1-32@16 1-16c; October 15 7-32@15¼c; new 15⅛@15 5-32c; December 16 3-16@16 7-32c; January 15⅞@15 1-32c; February 15⅞@15 2-32c; Michigan 15 15-16@15 31-32c; April 16 5-16@16 11-32c; new 16⅝@11-16c; June 16¾@17c.

RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. ARMY.—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING 3 P. M.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 25, 1874.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Cairo, Ill.	5	1	+1		S	Fair.
Cincinnati	4		+3		SW	Cloudy.
Davenport	3	7	+1		S	Thr'ng.
Keokuk	4	6			SE	Lt Rain.
Leavenworth	8				S	Fair.
Louisville	2	2	+1		SE	Fair.
Memphis	3	5	+1		Calm	Lt Rain.
Nashville, Tenn.	1	7	−2		S	Fair.
Omaha	3	6	−1		W	Fair.
Pittsburgh	1	6	−2		S	Fair.
Shreveport, La.	5	3	+3		W	Cloudy.
St. Louis, Mo.	9	11	+6		S	Thr'ng.
St. Paul, Minn.	4		−1		SE	Thr'ng.
Vicksburg	5	7			W	Cloudy.
Yankton	8	5	−1		E	Cloudy.
Dubuque	5	11	+2		SE	Cloudy.
La Crosse	3	1	−1	10	SE	Lt Rain.

GEORGE H. ROHE, Sergeant, Signal Service, U. S. A.

At six o'clock last evening the metal marks indicated 17 inches of water, and falling very slowly.

We noticed our friend Captain B. F. Goodwin, of the steamer Ed. Hobbs, in the city today. His steamer and barges are laid up at Cincinnati.

The L. C. McCormick, Captain John M. Phillips, made her first trip yesterday in the Wheeling and Parkersburg trade.

Our steamboatmen are pretty well disgusted with the low water season, and are praying for a good, steady rain that will produce a substantial rise in our river.

—Friday's Cincinnati "Commercial" says:—Capt. Hicks King, the commander of the steamer Shannon, who was struck on the head by the falling of an iron davit, while sparring his steamer over Rising Sun Bar, a few days since, died at his residence in New Albany, Indiana, yesterday afternoon. The deceased was an old Louisville and New Orleans pilot. He commanded the Arkansas Traveler, Des Arc, Cora S., and other steamers, the Shannon being his last boat. He was a most genial man and enjoyed the confidence and esteem of a large circle of friends. He was about fifty-five years old at the time of his death and leaves a family in New Albany to mourn his loss.——The following pilots came from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati arriving here yesterday on the Exchange from Portsmouth. They left for Louisville last night on the Granite State. The list comprises G. W. Gray, Wm. Cunningham, William Stewart, Homer Harger, Thomas McDonald, James Bevington, Frank Clinton, George Cunningham, L. P. Chester, David Kerr, John Stafford, Dave Cummings, August Jutty and John Vaurer.——Captain Dan Moore, of the Arlington, goes to Pittsburgh on a visit to old friends.——The Bertie Gilbert, with a tow of pig iron, is hard on Portland bar. If the sunken barge which lies across the low water channel on Portland bar was removed, boats could get to Portland Can't Colonel Merrill remove it.

—Yesterday's Cincinnati 'Gazette' contains the following allusion to a gentleman now absent from the city: Mr Robert Thornburg, river editor of the Pittsburgh GAZETTE, is in the city. He was on 'Change yesterday, intended visiting the Exposition in the afternoon, and will return home to-night. Mr. Thornburg is a genial gentleman whom it is a pleasure to know.——A private letter received from Detroit yesterday, by R. S. Semple, Esq., President of the Local Board of Steam Navigation, says that a Board of Steam Navigation was organized at Detroit on the 22d inst. About fifty boatmen were present at the meeting, and the constitution adopted was the same as that adopted here, substantially.

—We are very anxious to know when Uncle Sam's 'biler bustin' chaps are going to 'blow up' things at Pittsburgh. We've got friends in the Smoky City, and we want to let them have ample time to get away from there before the blowing takes place.—'Louisville Courier Journal.' In order to relieve the terrible anxiety of the river editor of the 'Courier Journal,' we beg leave to vouchsafe the pleasing information that he and his friends can dismiss their fears for the present, as the 'biler bustin chaps' have indefinitely postponed that little arrangement.

—Says the Louisville "Courier Journal:" The wharfboat yesterday looked like the ark after the menagerie left it at Ararat—Somebody ought to fence in the bars between here and Cincinnati to keep the cattle from kicking up such a dust on them——The inspector of steamboats for the Sixth district has been ordered to remove from Memphis and put out his shingle in this city.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.—1 car buckets and tubs Carter Bro; car stone F Alden; car lumber W W Rigdon & Co; car do South Side P Mill; car do Walker Bro; 2 do do Dunbar & Co; 6 bdls Scobie R & S; 10 brls peas W Haslage; 11 do onions J Ellison; 2 bxs candles P & C R R; 11 brls beans J H Loh & Co. 1 bxs machines Lee S Smith; 15 bdls wire Park & Co; 20 cases grease Pain A & T; 40 bxs cheese Weisbrod & W; 100 bxs ten crates starch Dilworth Bro; ten bxs do Curry & M; 5 do ten crates do G W McClure; 36 bxs do W Haslage; 50 do S P Shriver & Co; 10 do T C Jenkins; 50 brls 20 sks flour Watt L & Co; 15 pkgs eggs and butter Voigt M & Co; 4 do eggs Head C & Co; 2 tubs cheese P Duff & Son; car 1 beer J Lissy & Co; 40 sks flour Warner & W; 10 brls do J J Howard; 9 pkgs hides Flaccus & Son; 10 sks rags Smith & McC; 5 cases cigars Shomaker and Co; 7 pkgs g ware Gallagher & Co; 2 corn shellers A S Murphy; 5 brls oil J S Ramsey; 329 bdls paper Godfrey & C.

PITTSBURGH FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—26 cases tobacco 100 boxes soap Dilworth Bro; 8 boxes soap Luebbe Bro; 12 bxs mdse Lewis O & P; 66 brls peas Voigt M & Co; 10 brls spirits Rodelheim B & Co; 400 brls flour B H Vockamp; 1 car bran H Schnelbach; 1 car hay John Rose; 1 do M Meek; 1 do do owner, 2 do do L G Graff & Co; 1 car scrap iron W Springer; 2 cars do Everson M & Co; 2 cars meat E H Myers & Co; 20 boxes tobacco J M Sichel; 21 do do J W Taylor; 5 do H Dallinger; 40 do do John Wilson & Son; 15 barrels liquor Kiser & Clark; 5 do do L H Watson & Co; 10 do do Dierker & Thompson; 10 boxes soap Reymer Bros; 50 do do S Ewart & Co; 50 do do J S Dilworth & Co; 77 barrels pickles Heinz Noble & Co; 20 tres lard Rea H & K; 15 barrels spirits Rodelheim B & Co; 15 do do F Evert; 50 bales hops John White Jr & Son; 15 boxes tobacco Curry & M; 30 do do Knox & O; 20 do T J Wallace 9 brls bungs Armstrong Bros & Co; 32 boxes yeast S P Shriver & Co; 11 boxes cheese W Haslage; 10 do cheese W France; 4 cars oil barrels H C Vantine & Co; 1 car potatoes Morrison & Co; 2 cars potatoes W H Graff & Co; 1 do W J Steel & Co; 20 barrels flour Beatty & Co; 11 boxes mdse J & H Phillips 1 car stone Evans C & Co; 1 car flour Watt Lang & Co; 2 cases eggs W Willett & Co; 20 cases tobacco Shipton & W; lot h h goods W McKee & Co; 1 car shingles W Dilworth Jr; 31 brls flour J J Howard; 6 cases mdse George A Kelly; 2 brls eggs J H Loh & Co; 2 brls eggs Vangorder & S; 1 car m car G Bennett & Co; 1 car hay M F Herron & Co; 20 barrels flour J Eisle; 1 organ Hamilton; 15 cases handles J Woodwell & Co. 9 brls apples H Rea Jr; 8 sacks kegs Davis C & Co; 1 car stone S P & R H Knox; 1 co stone Metcalf.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST LOUIS R. R.—20 tons pig iron J B Young; 400 barrels flour T C Jenkins; 1 car mill feed J M Peet; 100 barrels flour Dan Wallace; 15 hlf butts tobacco Carter; 50 boxes starch Carter Bros & Co; 36 tons pig iron Caughey & Hartman; 719 sacks flax seed Thompson & Lyons; 330 sacks wheat Marshall K & Co; 100 tres hams W B Hays & Son; 150 brls cement Laing & McKallip; 50 sks oats P Duff & Son; 50 boxes starch T C Jenkins; 276 pigs lead Fahnestock H & Co; 17 bxs candles S M Cummings; 20 do do Sobelhabe & H; 20 qr barrels beer B Galliseth, 62 brls beer 36 hlf do C Walters; 10 hlf butts tobacco A Wilson.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.—3 cars stone John Swan; 5 cars ice Chaut Lake Ice Co; 3 do fire clay Reed & Harbison; 17 cars limestone Isabella Furnace; 9 do J L Lowry; 16 do stone C Howard & Son; 46 cars coal Armstrong Dickson & Co; 34 do N Y & C G C Co; 23 do Sable Coal Co; 1 car potatoes Jas H Loh & Co; 1 car ice W J Weir & Co; 1 car lumber Ed Alcott; 1 do scrap W McKinney & Son; 1 do lime W J Baughman.

RECEIPTS OF PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR.—1 car corn W Culp.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.			
Phillips N & Co m	1	W Smith & Son m	1
Nimick & Co m	7		
Total			9
CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.			
Zug & Co o	3	S. B. & Co o	2
Cambria I Co p	6	H Lloyd Son & Co o	4
Reese G & Co o	2	Pgh Bolt Co o	2
Total			19
PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.			
Nimick & Co m	26	Zug & Co m	5
Caughey & H m	2	Jones and L m	17
S Reynolds m	2	Reese G & W	1
Total			53

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MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 7:46 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:15 p. m.

CINCINNATI EXPRESS daily, at 12:21 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 10:40 p. m., Philadelphia 2:50 a. m., New York 6:45 a. m., Baltimore 2:40 a. m., Washington 6:20 a. m.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily, except Sunday, 4:21 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 1:30 a. m., Philadelphia 6:30 a. m., New York 9:45 a. m., Baltimore 6:45 a. m., Washington 8:42 a. m.

FAST LINE daily, at 6:26 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:45 a. m., Philadelphia 6:40 a. m., New York 9:45 a. m., Baltimore 6:45 a. m., Washington 8:48 A. M.

WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:06, 10:21, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:06 and 11:31 p. m. Sunday 12:41 p. m.

BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:46 a. m., 5:01 and 9:21 p. m. Sunday 9:21 p. m.

WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 4:01 p. m. and 7:11 p. m.

JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p. m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot, as follows, city time:

Mail Train daily, except Monday .... 1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday .... 1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily, except Monday .... 8:41 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily .... 9:06 a. m.
Pacific Express daily .... 1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily .... 8:21 p. m.
Wall's Accommodation, 6:36 and 8:21 a. m., 1:21, 2:41, 5:46 and 7:51 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation, 7:31 and 9:01 a. m., 7:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:11 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accom. .... 5:11 p. m. and 9:21 p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation .... 10:36 a. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.

From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, city time.
MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler .... 6:36 a. m.
EXPRESS, connecting for Butler .... 2:16 p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM. 9:41 a. m. and 4:41 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM. 11:21 a. m., 6:21 and 10:51 p. m. Sunday 12:51 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER .... 3:21 p. m.

Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time:
Express, connecting from Butler .... 10:06 a. m.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler .... 5:41 p. m.
Freeport Accommodation .... 8:11 a. m. and 1:41 p. m.
Springdale Accom. 6:51 a. m. and 6:16 and 10:06 p. m. Sunday 9:51 a. m.
Market train from Butler .... 9:01 a. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from Hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket office, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and the Union Depot.
D. M. BOYD, Jr.
General Passenger Agent.
FRANK THOMSON, General Manager.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.

On and after MAY 31st, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	Pacific Express	2:18am
Chicago Mail	6:13am	Wheeling Ex.	10:58am
Erie & Asht. Ex.	6:28am	Chicago Ex.	11:58am
Cl. & Wh'g Mail	6:53am	Erie & Asht. Ex.	2:38pm
Chicago Express	9:58am	Chicago Mail	3:43pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:58pm	Cleveland Ex.	3:53pm
Pacific Express	2:13pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	5:48pm
Wellsville Ex.	4:28pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	6:08pm
Erie & War. Ex.	4:38pm	Erie & Asht. Ex.	11:28pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:38am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:23am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:08pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:13am
Sharps & Asht. Ac.	1:13pm	Enon Ac.	8:48am
Enon Accom.	3:48pm	Sharps & Asht. Ac.	9:13am
Leetsdale Ac.	5:23pm	Leetsdale Ac.	12:53pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:23pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:13pm
Leetsdale Ac.	8:28pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:28pm
Leetsdale Ac.	10:58pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:33pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:43pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:53am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.
F. R. MEYERS,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
J. M. McCULLOUGH,
General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after MONDAY, June 29, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh Time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Buffalo Ex.	6:45am	Night Express	5:50am
Hulton Acc.	6:50am	Hulton Acc.	6:30am
Kittanning acc.	9:40am	Soda Works acc.	8:10am
Hulton acc.	11:40am	Hulton acc.	8:46am
Titusville Ex.	12:40pm	Brady's Bend acc	10:00am
Brady's Bend acc	3:40pm	Hulton acc.	1:50pm
Hulton acc.	4:50pm	Titusville Ex.	3:15pm
Soda Works acc.	6:00pm	Kittanning acc.	6:45pm
Night Express	8:10pm	Hulton acc.	7:20pm
Hulton acc.	10:50pm	Buffalo Express	9:40pm

Buffalo Express daily, on Sundays to Oil City only. All other trains daily except Sunday.
Buffalo Express connects at Red Bank for Brookville, Driftwood, Williamsport and all points northeast.
Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on Night Express between Pittsburgh and Mayville.
Church train leaves Soda Works at 8:35 a. m., arriving in Pittsburgh at 10:10 a. m.; returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., arriving at Soda Works at 2:25 p. m., stopping at all stations.
Orders can be left with Excelsior Baggage Company, 78 Fifth avenue, for baggage to be checked from Hotels or residences to destination.
Ticket office No. 78 Fifth avenue and Union Depot.
J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Superintendent.
THOS. M. KING, Assistant Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY.

On and after MONDAY, Sept. 14th, 1874, and until further notice, trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 226 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh Time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	6:15am	Homestead acc.	7:00am
Monongahela acc	11:20am	Through Mail	8:25am
Fast Line	4:00pm	Fast Line	10:25am
Homestead acc.	6:15pm	Pittsburgh acc.	6:13pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:35 p. m.

Special Steamer to and from Brownsville connects with fast Trains at Monongahela City, as follows: Leave Brownsville daily (except Sunday) at 5:00 a. m. and 12:30 p. m. connecting to arrive at Pittsburgh at 10:25 a. m. and 6:13 p. m. Returning trains, leave Pittsburgh at 6:15 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., connecting to arrive at Brownsville at 11:45 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. From 4 to 8 hours the quickest route.

Purchase Through Tickets via this Route.
Baggage Checked Through.
Baggage called for and delivered. Leave orders at General Office, 61 Fourth avenue.
JOHN M. BYERS,
Gen'l Superintendent.
WM. J. ROSE,
General Passenger Agent.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILWAY,
Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore "Short Line."
CHANGE OF TIME—SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.
On and after SUNDAY, MAY 10th, 1874, Trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water streets, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Local Mail	6:10am	McKeesport acc.	6:40am
Through Mail	7:00am	McKeesport acc.	7:25am
Mixed Way	9:30am	W. Newton acc.	8:20am
McKeesport acc.	11:00am	Through Ex.	8:45am
McKeesport acc.	2:35pm	Connellsville acc	10:40am
Connellsville acc.	3:35pm	McKeesport acc.	2:00pm
McKeesport acc.	4:30pm	McKeesport acc.	2:00pm
W. Newton acc.	5:10pm	McKeesport acc.	4:50pm
McKeesport acc.	6:20pm	Uniontown acc.	6:15pm
Through Ex.	8:00pm	McKeesport acc.	7:40pm
McKeesport acc.	11:00pm	Through Mail	8:25pm
W. Newton Ch T	12:45pm	W. Newton Ch T	10:05am

Mail and Accommodation Trains daily, except Sunday. Express Train daily. Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars.
Save 75 miles travel, Washington City, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and all points East.
General Ticket Office, 43 Fifth avenue.
SAMUEL C. HOUGH,
General Passenger Agent.
E. K. HYNDMAN,
General Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.
Pan Handle Route.
On and after JUNE 28, 1874, trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh time, as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	McDonald acc.	6:53am
Columbus Mail	7:13am	Washington acc.	8:03am
Washington acc.	8:33am	Steubenville acc.	9:38am
Pacific Express	9:38am	Cincinnati Ex.	1:08pm
McDonald acc.	10:43am	McDonald acc.	2:03pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:13pm	Washington acc.	3:53pm
Steubenville acc.	3:28pm	Columbus Mail	5:23pm
Washington acc.	5:03pm	Fast Line	5:58pm
McDonald acc.	6:13pm	Southern Ex.	12:14am
Sunday Ch train	12:48pm	Sunday Ch train	10:03am

Fast Line and Pittsburgh Express leave daily.
Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.
All other trains will run daily, except Sundays.
Sleeping Cars without change to Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis.
W. L. O'BRIEN,
Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent.
S. M. FELTON, Gen. Supt.

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OIL STILLS, TANKS, AGITATORS,
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Repairing Promptly Attended to.
WORKS—FACING THE A. V. R. R.,
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MANUFACTURERS OF
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STILLS, AGITATORS,
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Prison Doors, Chimneys,
Bricken Fire Beds, &c.
Corner Second Avenue and Liberty Street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
Repairing done promptly. Orders sent to the above address will be promptly attended to.

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Tubular, Double-flued Tubular Fire Box and Cylinder Steam Boilers,
Oil Stills and Oil Tanks,
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Settling Pans, Salt Pans and Condensors,
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Corner Second, Third, Short and Liberty Streets, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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No. 13 Water Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Have on hand and for sale LOCOMOTIVE and TUBULAR OIL BOILERS, and make to order STEAM BOILERS of all sizes. Also, SHEET IRON WORK of all descriptions.
Watson & Munroe,

HOME NEWS.

The "Weekly Gazette,"

containing the latest news from all parts of the country, selections of interest and profit, events of importance by mail and telegraph, with complete and accurate reports of the market, can be had at our counter, in wrappers, ready for mailing.

Correction.

By an omission yesterday morning in our U. S. Court proceedings the report was made to refer to Messrs. J. B. Sneathen & Co., of this city, as bankrupts. Such is not the case by any means. Messrs. J. B. Sneathen & Co., are plaintiffs in a suit in bankruptcy against a certain party, but the name of the defendant being inadvertently left out, made it appear as though the plaintiffs were the bankrupts, when just the reverse is the case.

Witherspoon Institute.

The Twenty fifth Anniversary of the Witherspoon Institute will be held at Butler, on Wednesday and Thursday, October 7th and 8th. The affair will take the shape of a reunion of the present and former students, teachers and friends of the Institute. A very interesting programme has been prepared in which Col. John M. Thompson, Hon. John H Mitchell, Rev. J. R. Coulter, Rev. David Hall, D. D., and Professor W. S. Burgh will take part. The Committee having the reunion in charge consist of Walter D Graham, J. D. McJunken and Clarence Walker, and it could not be in better hands.

Boiler Inspection.

Mr. W. E. Russell, Inspector of Boilers for Allegheny county, yesterday tested the sixteen boilers just furnished by Messrs. N. Snyder & Co., and which are to be placed in the water works pumping house at Negley's Run. The tests, which were made for the benefit of the Water Committee, were witnessed by several members of that body, and by a number of manufacturers and water works officials. The boilers were put to the severe test of 212½ pounds cold water pressure to the square inch, being fifty pounds more than is required. Several of the manufacturers present said they had never seen better boilers, and Mr. Brown, of Brown & Co., manufacturers of the iron with which the boilers were made, said the inspector was at liberty to crowd the pressure up to 300 or even 350 pounds if he wanted to do so. The test was satisfactory in every respect.

Allegheny City Property.

The Allegheny City Property Committee held a meeting last night.

On motion of Mr. Bepler, it was agreed to accept the building, erected for Knapp's battery, from the contractors, and the Controller was directed to pay them the balance due.

The sub-building committee was directed to have the stalls in the new Fourth ward engine house plastered.

On motion of Mr. Klicker, the Controller was authorized to receive bids for painting the outside of the Ellsworth engine house.

The contract for plastering the second story of Knapp's Battery building and for placing shutters on all the windows, was awarded to Robt. White, for $659.

Bills to the amount of $1,291.57 were approved. Adjourned.

Additional Robberies.

Attempts at robbing it seems have been recently made at places other than the Bank of Industry. A day or two ago the office of Wm. Dilworth, Jr., the lumber dealer at the corner of Grant street and Seventh avenue, was left momentarily vacant when a man entered and stole from the open safe a book containing a number of notes, a few small bills and two checks amounting to $1,000. Payment on the checks was stopped and the notes, are of course valueless to the thief. On Wednesday the book keeper at S. P. Shriver's wholesale grocery establishment, on Liberty street, went to dinner and left the keys of the office drawers with the clerk. The latter soon after left the office and became engaged in the store. A telegraphic dispatch was brought in in a few minutes and on going to get money to pay for it, the clerk discovered that there had been stolen from the office a book containing $150 in currency and $1,400 in checks and drafts. Payment was stopped on the latter. There is no clue to the thieves in either case.

MONONGAHELA CITY FAIR.

The Success of the Exposition.

The Monongahela Park Association, composed of the very best citizens of that enterprising and thriving city, closed yesterday, after a successful term of three days. The Exposition—mechanically, florally and agriculturally considered—was not, perhaps, so brilliant as might have been anticipated, and yet decidedly creditable to the energy and enterprise of the Managers. The race course, one of the very finest in this country, was the principal centre of attraction, and some very fine exhibitions of force, endurance and speed of somewhat celebrated horses, day after day, amused and edified the thousands of spectators, who surrounded the arena each day. The gate receipts, despite the despicable meanness of those who "hooked in" by overlooking the races from a hill adjacent—all of whom, perhaps, thought it was an unholy thing to race equine bloods, were unexpectedly large. The meeting was a perfect success and once more assures the people that there is life, vim and enterprise in the Monongahela Driving Park Association.

STRIKE AT BROWNSTOWN.

The Wages of the Bloom Boys at Laughlin's Mill Reduced—A Reduction Expected by the Laborers—The Boys and Some Laborers Quit Work.

On Thursday a reduction was made in the wages of the bloom boys at Jones' & Laughlin's mill at Brownstown, which led to a strike among them. For some time past they have been receiving $1.50 a day, but under the new arrangement their wages are fixed at $1.25. Thinking that they had been unjustly cut down, the boys immediately struck and they will hold a meeting this morning to discuss the situation. The places of the strikers have been filled, as stated, by a number of Polanders. The strikers allege that it requires twice the number of these foreigners to attend one turn as it takes of boys to attend two turns. A number of laborers who were ordered to take the places of the strikers refused to do so, and were either discharged or quit work.

It was thought last night that a similar reduction will be made shortly in the wages of the laborers at the mill, and considerable excitement was caused by the rumor. No definite information as to the truth or falsity of this statement could be ascertained. No reduction has been made in the compensation of rollers, puddlers, &c.

GASTRONOMIC AND SOCIAL.

A Pleasant Gathering at the Wylie Avenue U. P. Church.

Last Thursday evening a very pleasant entertainment was given in the Wylie Avenue U. P. Church, Rev. W. H. Knox, pastor. This is the youngest congregation of the denomination in the city and the ladies being desirous of aiding in the work of building and furnishing the church, took upon themselves the contract for carpeting the main auditorium. In furtherance of the design, they arranged for a supper which was given in the church on Thursday evening. The entertainment drew together a large company. Among the professional gentlemen present, we noticed Revs. W. H. Andrew, W. M. Coleman, S. R. Frazier, John Galley, J. S. Sands and others of the ministry, of the legal profession, Messrs. John Lambie, Willis Booth and others, and of the medical fraternity, Drs. McCandless and Fife.

The Company after gathering, first had an opportunity to inspect the tables which were spread with an elegance of taste that received profuse compliments, and were loaded down with an abundance of the most tempting baits for an epicure. After a brief view of the feast prepared, Mr. D. R. Ingram in a few happily chosen and appropriate remarks, invited the company to partake, an invitation that was heeded without unnecessary delay.

After supper the remainder of the evening was spent in social intercourse that made the hours pass in the most enjoyable manner. The entertainment in every way was a success, and a source of pleasure to all who were in attendance.

This congregation, we are pleased to note, is flourishing, and expects to have the audience room of their new church ready for occupancy next month.

THE POTTS-ELGAR CASE.

The Trial Ended—Addresses by Counsel and Charge by the Judge—The Jury Return a Verdict of Guilty of Murder in the Second Degree.

At the reassembling of the Criminal Court yesterday morning the trial of Potts for the shooting of Elgar was continued, Judge Sterrett being on the bench. Several witnesses were called by the defence to prove the peaceful character of the accused, after which the defense closed. James Donavan was then re-called by the Commonwealth and again stated that the revolver that Elgar had belonged to him, that he gave it to him the day before, and that he (Donavan) made the impression himself on the caps. He told Elgar that the revolver was of no use, that he had tried himself and could not discharge it.

This closed the testimony in the case, and Col. Bayne at once proceeded to address the jury for the prosecution. He was followed by Major E. C. Montooth and Mr. W. C. Moreland, both on the part of the defense. After a recess of half an hour, Mr. Thomas M. Marshall made the closing argument for the Commonwealth, which lasted about an hour and a quarter. Judge Sterrett having delivered a very clear and impartial charge, the jury, at a quarter before three o'clock, retired to deliberate upon their verdict. After an absence of about an hour and three quarters the jurymen returned into Court, and in answer to the usual questions, gave a verdict of murder in the second degree.

Major Montooth, as soon as the verdict had been delivered, made a motion for a new trial, and the Court gave him four days in which to file his reasons. Potts was removed to the jail by one of the tipstaves of the Court.

Cheapness Extraordinary.

Many articles of merchandise are low in price, which are yet very dear, but Mr. R. Taggart, Boot and Shoe dealer of No. 129 Federal street, Allegheny, challenges the trade to sell a better quality of boot and shoe for less money than he can. He never thinks of charging his customers retail prices for his goods, but sells all boots and shoes at wholesale rates, saving to purchasers from 25 cents to $2 on every pair sold. None better or cheaper in the two cities.

The Union Bridge,

at the Point, will be opened for travel on October 1st. TThS

Young Gents' Broadway Silk Hats,
AT McGREGOR'S,
46 Federal street, Allegheny.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

Brief Notes of Matters Personal and Otherwise.

THE new Baptist Church at Rochester has been pushed forward so rapidly, that it is now under roof.

REV. Mr. Wallace will preach in the Eighteenth street Methodist Church, to-morrow morning and evening.

THE third anniversary of the opening of the Aged Potestant Women's Home will be celebrated next Thursday.

A CLERICAL conference of the Catholic clergy will be held at the Episcopal residence in this city on Tuesday, October 6.

REV. W. F. CONNER, who has been lying very ill for the past six weeks at Tarentum, is so far recovered as to be able to sit up.

THE address of J. H. Hull, president of Pittsburgh Conference, is 46 Reed street, Pittsburgh, instead of Beaver Falls, as formerly.

THE series of meetings in the North avenue M. E. church continue with unabated interest. They will be kept up during next week.

A PRAISE SERVICE is to be held in the Butler street M. E. church to-morrow evening—Rev. W. B. Watkins pastor having the matter in charge.

REV. LLOYD MORGAN, of Monongahela City, has unanimously accepted a call to become the pastor of the Baptist church, Apollo, Armstrong county.

THE Episcopal church in Beaver Falls, is to be built of stone, and will, when completed, be one of the handsomest church edifices in the country.

IT has been determined to erect a tabernacle on the Bentleysville campmeeting ground, in Washington county, before the opening of exercises next year.

REV. G. H. HUMPHREY will lecture in his church, corner of Twentieth and Sarah streets, to-morrow evening, on "The Friends and Enemies of Woman."

DR. GEO. P. HAYS, President of Washington and Jefferson college, will deliver his lecture "Wise and Otherwise," in the court house, in Clarion, on Saturday evening, October 3d.

THERE will be Divine Services held to-morrow at three o'clock at the Boarding Hall, on the Castle Shannon camp ground. The services will be conducted by the City Missionary, Rev. W. H. Phipps.

DR. B. F. BROOKE will preach in Christ M. E. church to-morrow morning and evening at the usual hours. Subject of the morning discourse "The Covenant." Evening "The manner in which the gospel feast is received by some."

REV. JAMES HUNTER, Pastor First Baptist church, South Side, will preach on the following subjects to-morrow: Morning, "The Loving Kindness of God the Foundation of Trust." Evening, "The Power of Trifles—Every little Helps."

ON last Sunday Right Rev. Bishop Domenec administered the sacrament of confirmation in the Church of the Holy Name, Troy Hill, to fifty persons, and in St. Joseph's, Manchester, to sixty six. In both of these confirmations there were some adults and converts.

THE programme of services in the Arch street M. E church is as follows: 10½ A. M. Sunday school sermon by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Miller. 2 P. M. Sunday school quarterly review with short speeches and essays by the pastor. 7½ P. M. service of song interspersed with scripture readings.

JOHN F. DRAVO, Esq., has charge of a Bible class connected with the M. E Church in this place, which numbers *forty-three* persons,—made up of young men, middle-aged men, and those who have even gone beyond their three score years and ten. Mr. D. has reason to be, and is justly proud of being the recognized head of such a class.—*Beaver Times.*

THE following parties arrested at the colored dance house, on Wylie avenue, on Thursday night, were sentenced to Claremont. Mike Pardue, Annie Fox, Mary Carter, Mag Conway, Nellie and Eva Belleville, six months each; Mary Dunlap and D. Maloney, sixty days each, and James Steen thirty days. Others went to jail for brief terms and the remainder were fined five dollars and costs.

THE Rev. A. G. Wallace, pastor of the United Presbyterian church of New Brighton, and Dr. J. G. Brown, of Pittsburgh, left on Tuesday for Columbia, Tenn., as delegates to the General Assembly of the Associate Reformed Synod of the South. The only barrier between these two bodies, slavery, is removed, and a re-union may be effected. It was with this in view the delegates were appointed.

THERE will be a "Praise Service" held in the Arch street M. E. Church, Allegheny, Rev. J. A. Miller pastor, to-morrow evening. The music will be under the direction of the leader of the choir, Professor W. B. Slack. The hymns to be used on the occasion have been printed on cards, which will be distributed through the congregation so that all can sing. The occasion also will be a sort of a dedication of the large new organ which has just been purchased by the church.

THE Synod of Erie is in session in the First Presbyterian Church in Mercer, and will continue until the following Monday. This Synod comprises six presbyteries, 104 ordained clergymen, and a lay representative from each pastoral charge within its bounds. It has under its care 225 churches, 16 licensed preachers, and during the year 3,355 have been added to its churches, making a total of 26,683 church members under its jurisdiction. During the last year also it has contributed for all church purposes $23,735.66.

A GOOD breath of the strong gospel of the Puritans is one of our pressing wants. It would act as a tonic to the present debility, and rouse into vital action a Christian life that is every day becoming more ineffective. The sweet gospel, now so common, is entertaining and soothing, and both for preaching and hearing is more pleasant than the Elijah kind of storm and fire. But it is not the intention of the Bible to provide us with soothing simply. The old way of telling men they are sinners and under the curse of God's law must get back to the pulpit, and men must be made to hear of hell and the wrath of God as the penalties of a godless life.—*United Presbyterian.*

A NEW religious movement is now on foot in this city, which originates in the M. E. Church. It is proposed to hold a large convention composed of all the congregations of this denomination in both cities about the middle of December. A committee was appointed at the preachers meeting held at the Book Concern a week ago, which is expected to report on next Monday morning in favor of such a gathering. One of the Bishops is to be present to preside, and if the present plans are carried out the convention will be a matter of some importance. It has been customary to hold such meetings in some of the eastern cities, on a large scale.

THE series of meetings which have been held in Christ M. E. Church during the week have been productive of much good. There has been no special demonstrations, but a deep religious feeling seems to pervade the entire church. Eight or nine persons have been converted during the week and the work goes on. After a sermon by Dr. Brooke, last night, four persons presented themselves at the altar for prayers. It is the intention to continue these meetings all next week—services being held twice each day at 10:30 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening. On Monday evening a Covenant meeting will be held which is something new in this church, and it is hoped, there will be a large attendance as the exercises will be of the most interesting character. The pastor and church extends a cordial invitation to all who may so desire, to visit all the meetings of the coming week.

A meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, will be held in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, September 30th, at 2 P. M. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Alexandria from India, will be present. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston with two young ladies from this neighborhood, leave for India in October. A farewell meeting will be held in the Bellefield Presbyterian Church, at 7½ o'clock Wednesday evening. All are invited. The Bellefield congregation extends a cordial invitation to those wishing to attend the evening meeting, to go directly from the First Church as entertainment will be provided.

MRS H. G. COMINGO, President.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds have been filed for record in Recorder Richardson's office since our last report:

John Eberle to Mrs. Isabella Hamilton, May 15, 1874, lot on Adams street, Allegheny, 20x128¾ feet, with buildings. Price........$530

Mary M Renouf to J. S. McCartney, September 17, 1874, lot in Renouf's plan, Tarentum borough, 15x60 feet. Price........$50

John McClarren to J. S. McCartney, July 7, 1874 lot in Renouf's plan, Tarentum borough, 30x130 feet. Price........$195

James R. Mellon to Jeremiah Gilchrist, May 22, 1874, lots on Hiland avenue, Nineteenth ward, city, 100x215 feet. Price........$13,000

Michael Dravo to Mrs. William Vankirk, May 15 1874, lot on Liberty street, city, next to Marvin's cracker bakery, 20x112 feet, with buildings. Price........$12,000

John Casten to Susan Chester, April 1, 1874; lot in Forward township, 93x330 feet. Price........$325

John King to the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company, Sept. 19, 1874; interest of party of the first part in eleven acres and 28 3-10 perches of land in Plum township. Price........$391

George P. Alter, guardian of minor children of Thomas King, deceased, to New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Company, Sept. 19, 1874; interest in same land as above. Price........$1,173 57

Eliza King and William George King to New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Company, Sept. 19, 1874; interest in above land. Price........$391 19

Lewis Bayha to Michael Hageman, July 11, 1871, quit claim deed for lot of ground on Spring Garden avenue, Seventh ward, Allegheny, 159x620x165x608 feet, Price......$1

Daniel Simms to Hughston Todd, September 15, 1874, lot on Union avenue, McKeesport, 20x15 feet. Price........$675

Enterprise Building and Loan Association to Daniel Simms, September 15, 1873, same as above. Price........$675

Elizabeth Grimes to Elizabeth Scott, February 6, 1872, lot in Sewickley borough, 41x150 feet, Price........$200

James Hoag to John Kreiling, October 8, 1874, lot of ground in Pleasant Valley, 40x200 feet. Price........$950

Daniel C. Ripley to Miss Addie M. Ripley, August 15, 1874, lot on Hazlewood avenue, Twenty third ward, city, 120x264 feet. Price........$1

Wm. John Wilson to Robert Arthurs, August 15, 1873, lot on Bismarck Way, Tenth ward, city, 20x75 feet, with buildings. Price........$1,000

Robert Arthurs to John O'Neil, September 6, 1873, same as above. Price........$1,100

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All the Novelties of the Season, at
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FREEPORT.

The Gathering of Sunday School Workers—Discussions on Interesting Topics—The Various Departments of the Work Under Consideration—Practical Hints for Teachers.

The quarterly meeting of the Sunday School Convention connected with the Pittsburgh Baptist Association convened on Thursday at the Baptist church, Freeport, at 9:30 A. M. Thirty minutes were spent in devotional exercises led by Rev. J. W. Plannet, of Sharpsburg. The Convention was then called to order by the President, Prof. L. H. Eaton, of Allegheny. The choir sang an anthem "Will you go," and Rev. Isaac Sawyer, of Allegheny, led in prayer.

The first question for discussion was taken up—"What constitutes a Model Superintendent?" Spoken to by Jno. A. Myler of Allegheny; Rev. S. W. Plannet of Sharpsburg; Rev. T. S. Hutson of Allegheny; Rev. G. S. Brensinger of Mt. Washington; Rev. Isaac Sawyer of Allegheny; Rev. R. C. Morgan of Irwin; B. Crowther of Sharpsburg, and the Pres't, Prof. L. H. Eaton. These addresses suggested the following qualifications:—Godly piety—A good, Biblical Education—Punctuality—He should be a good judge of human nature—one who has the love of the church, teachers and scholars—he should understand every teacher's mode of instruction, have good common sense, tact, decision enough to remove an improper or inefficient teacher, patience to bear with and improve teachers and scholars, a missionary spirit able to find both scholars and teachers, cheerfulness, earnestness and order.

The Convention then sung, "Work for the night is coming." The second question was taken up, "What are the difficulties met with by teachers in their work?" This was spoken by T Snively of Freeport, Isaac King of Peter's Creek, Rev. J. E. Dean of Freeport, James Shelden of Sharpsburg, Rev. T. S. Huston of Allegheny, Rev. J. W. Plannet of Sharpsburg, Rev. T. K. Cramer of Elizabeth. The difficulties referred to by the speakers were of two kinds: First. Those existing in the teacher—such as want of correctness, ability, time for preparation, self-confidence and *aim.* Secondly. Those caused by outside influence—such as indifference and irregularity of the scholars and their disinclination to receive the truth into their hearts; also those caused by the indifference of parents who often care not, or even object to their children attending schools. *As remedies,* teachers should copy Christ, exert a positive influence for good, endeavor to lead their scholars to Christ, believing and looking for present results.

Rev. G. J. Brensinger introduced the *Baptist Witness* as a good help for teachers in preparing for their work; and recommended its introduction into every *Baptist* family (at least) in Western Pennsylvania.

After singing the doxology, Rev. J. K. Cramer of Elizabeth pronounced the benediction, and the Convention adjourned to meet at 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION

convened at 2 o'clock. Thirty minutes were spent in devotional exercises led by Rev. J. K. Cramer. The president called the Convention to order, and after an anthem by the choir, the following question was taken up for discussion: "What are the best Methods of conducting an Infant class?" Spoken to by Rev. J. S Hutson (Allegheny), A. J. Bonsall (Pittsburgh), J. A. Owens (Allegheny) Rev. Isaac Sawyer (Allegheny); Rev. J. E. Dean (Freeport), Prof. L. H. Eaton (Allegheny), and Rev. J. K. Cramer (Elizabeth). Suggestions—the teachers should be of a cheerful and happy disposition—able to attract the children by love—should pray for and visit their scholars—should teach scripture truth, believing that the children have souls which may be saved even *now*—should teach by means of object lessons—and the instructions should be characterized by brevity and variety.

The next subject for discussion was then taken up—"How can the entire church be aroused to the importance of Bible Study in connection with the Sabbath School? Where does responsibility begin and end?" spoken to by Captain T. Sheddon, (Sharpsburg); Rev. J. W. Plannet, (Sharpsburg); Prof. Davis, (Irwin); Rev. J. G. Brensinger, (Mt. Washington); Rev. J. K. Cramer, (Elizabeth); and Rev. R. C. Morgan, (Irwin); suggesting that ministers keep the subject before their people. That the study of the Bible is important,—it contains the best history, best systems of laws, most beautiful oratory, and the *only* true plan of Salvation. Therefore as far as practicable, all the church should meet and engage in its study. The Christian's responsibility to study the Bible—and to encourage others to do so, begins at conversion- and ends at death.

The question box was now open, and found to contain a number of questions, which were responded to by delegates appointed by the Executive Committee.

After singing, and benediction by Rev. J. W. Plannet, Convention adjourned to meet in childrens meeting, at 7 o'clock.

In the evening a very interesting meeting was held—the church being well filled with children and adults. John A. Myler, Esq., of Allegheny, presided. Addresses to the children were made by Rev. S. L. Morgan, Rev. A. J. Bonsal, and Rev. Entwistle. The addresses were interspersed with singing by the children, who appeared to be much entertained with the exercises.

A vote of thanks was returned to the citizens of Freeport for their generous hospitality, and the meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. J. W. Plannet, and Convention adjourned to meet at the call of the Executive Committee, at McKeesport, three months hence. So ended the meeting, felt and acknowledged by all present to be a rich feast, one of the best gatherings of the Sunday School workers of the association ever held. E

THE COURTS.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

United States District Court.

[Judge McCandless on the Bench.]

A case reported yesterday should have read J. B. Sneathen & Co. vs. Staib & Co., bankrupts, instead of Sneathen & Co., bankrupts.

Chauncey P. Rogers, of Erie, filed a voluntary petition for the adjudication of himself in bankruptcy. The usual order was made.

S. H., Alfred and Daniel B. Hicks, of Erie, also filed a voluntary petition for the adjudication of themselves in bankruptcy. The usual order was made.

District Court.

(Before Judges Ewing and White.)

In the case of Mary Jane Gazola vs. John McClaren and James Donovan, the jury found for plaintiff for six cents damages and costs. This was an action of replevin, the matter of issue being whether or not there was any rent due the defendants.

In the case of Bissell & Co. vs. A. F. Baum, the jury found for plaintiff for $352.80, subject to the opinion of Court on a question of law reserved. This was an action on a promissory note, and the question of law reserved is the same as that referred to several days ago, where the defendant had been adjudged a bankrupt but no assignee appointed. The question is, can this Court take cognizance of other cases pending against him?

In the case of A. S Gilmore vs. Jos. B Phillips, the jury found for plaintiff for $248 94. This was an action to recover a bill for goods, the goods having been sold to one Strain, and it being claimed that the defendant was his surety. The Court reserved the question whether the proceedings in bankruptcy by defendant, is a bar to the defendant recovering judgment in this Court.

The case of A. M. Barr and Michael O'Hara vs. George McCombs, is an action to recover rent due on the lease of McFarland's Grove, for the payment of which the defendant is security. The avenue of access to the grounds, has been graded down and the means of access greatly impaired. The defendant for this reason claims he is not liable. Verdict for the plaintiff of $963 45.

In the case of J. O. Dugan vs. Michael P. O'Hern, the jury found for plaintiff for $350. This was an action to recover for furs sold.

In the case of Johnston's executors vs. Gordon's administratrix, a *scire facias* on a mortgage, the jury found for plaintiff for $8,195 25.

W. P. Bigley vs. H. Dickson. An order made appropriating certain moneys now in Court.

Common Pleas Court.

(Before Judge Collier.)

In the case of B. C. Christy, assignee in bankruptcy of L. D. Dummett & Co., for use, vs. Charles Breitweiser, an action on book account, the jury returned a verdict for the defendant, which was set aside by the Court on the ground of its being contrary to the law and the evidence.

In the case of Alexander Patterson vs. Hugh Ward, garnishee. The defendant's counsel made a new motion and filed reasons for a new trial.

John J. Patterson vs. George Brawdy, impleaded with C. D Lewis, partners as Lewis & Brawdy; action on a promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff for $1 382 20.

John J. Patterson vs. John Brawdy; also an action on a promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff for $394 17

The case of Zeraiah Cunningham vs. Jesse Cunningham, an action for money loaned, is on trial.

Criminal Court.

(Judge Sterrett on the Bench.)

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Andrew Patterson and Samuel Early, charged with felonious assault and battery on oath of Lieutenant of police Smith, was at the close of the Potts case, referred to elsewhere, called up. The prosecutor testified that on the night of July 20th he was standing on the corner of State alley and Fifth avenue extension, when he was struck on the back of the head with a paving stone, inflicting a serious cut. The jury returned a verdict of acquittal as to Early and of guilty of a misdemeanor in unlawfully wounding as to Patterson. The Judge ordered Patterson to stand up and after telling him he thought that he belonged to a dangerous class, sentenced him to pay a fine of 6 cents, pay the costs of the prosecution and spend a term of two years in the County Workhouse.

Serviceable, Durable and Cheap.

Mr. Thomas Davage, of No. 57 First avenue, who is well-known among railroad and steamboat men for the excellence and durability of his manufactures, calls the especial attention of his old customers and the public generally, to the fact that he is now manufacturing a very superior style of block, known as the inside iron strapped block, which is pronounced by all who have used it to be the perfection of blocks. He also manufactures to order all other styles of blocks in use on steamboats and railroads, and pumps for barges and boats of the best material that can possibly be procured. Patronize honest workmanship.

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THE STRIKING MINERS.

Incendiary Fire at Oakdale Station—Nine Houses Destroyed—The Italians Fire on the Miners—No One Seriously Hurt—All Quiet Last Night.

The first result of the trouble between the striking miners, and the newly arrived Italians occurred on Thursday night at Fort Pitt Station on the Pan Handle Railroad, a short distance beyond Mansfield. At nine o'clock four blocks of frame houses belonging to Huntsman, Miller & Co., at the point named, were found to be on fire. Twenty-one houses were comprised in the blocks and all were beginning to burn when discovered by the watchman on duty. Carbon oil had been poured over the outside weather-boarding, and ignited. Of the twenty-one houses, nine were destroyed and the balance saved by the watchman, Mr. Brown, and son. Two of the houses burned were occupied by coal miners' families. The loss is $4,000; insured for about $2,500. Only a few of the household goods were saved.

About the same time time an affray occurred at Reud's Laurel Hill mines, at McDonald's Station. The newly arrived foreigners had been quartered in some houses along the railroad track in the vicinity of the tipple. Throughout the entire day some of the striking miners had congregated upon the track, and every opportunity they got would address insulting remarks to the Italians. This led to bitter feeling, which seemed to increase towards evening. After darkness had set in, stray shots were heard in various directions, and Mr. Rend, fearing a collision, went down to the track, and addressing the strikers begged them to leave before anyone was hurt or dangerous consequences followed. Believing that the foreigners were determined, and knowing that they were armed, the ringleaders concurred with Mr. Rend, and under their advice it was agreed by the strikers to leave the neighborhood. The Italians, however, had also heard the shots, and, fearing that some of their companions were being assaulted, procured their muskets and rushed down to the track just in time to see miners retreating. Still, exasperated with the belief that some of their number had been hurt, the foreigners fired a volley at the strikers. As there were about two hundred muskets discharged, it is a matter of wonder that no one was killed, but so far as can be ascertained, the only shot which took any effect, passed through the hat of one of the retreating party. What is still more wonderful is the fact that Mr. Rend, who stood upon the track between the two parties escaped perfectly uninjured. By much persuasion Mr. Rend succeeded in quieting the Italians, and all has since been quiet. Up to a late hour last night, no further trouble had taken place, and it is thought that the miners, now that they see that the foreigners will shoot, will give them a wide berth.

The Italians were yesterday still lying idle at the Laurel-hill mines, near McDonald station. Mr. Rend says it is the intention to put them all to work this morning. A portion of them will go into the Walnut-hill mines, a short distance below, and some into the Pittsburg National, at Noblestown. There are one hundred on the way now from New York, and will probably arrive to day. Mr. J. Burr Robbins, of the Walnut-hill mines, says they have worked Italians, (and even now there are some in the works), and always found them fully as industrious and much less liable to strike than any other men they ever had. There will be some of these experienced men sent to the other mines to give the new comers such instruction as they may need.

A dispatch was received at this office at an early hour this morning, stating that at midnight all was quiet at the mines, and that the striking miners had nearly all left the scene of the trouble of Thursday night.

LATEST.

Another Collision Between the Italians and Strikers.

At one o'clock this morning the operator at McDonald's Station reports firing of musketry at Briar Hill coal mines, half a mile east of McDonald's, but cannot give any definite information. It is probable that a collision has occurred between the Italians and the miners.

Fearful Firing.

At 2:30 the operator at McDonald's reports that all at that time was quiet, and he could not then hear any shots being fired. He describes the shooting about 1 A. M. as fearful, but cannot give any information leading to the result, or what occasioned it.

ROADS AND GAS.

Business Transacted at Yesterday's Meetings.

The Road Committee held a special meeting yesterday afternoon in the City Clerk's office. An ordinance was ordered to be presented to Councils fixing the width of the sidewalks on the south side of Second avenue, from River street to Laughlin street. Regarding the petition of the oil refiners for permission to lay a refined oil pipe line from Negley's Run to a point on the Connellsville railroad, the committee decided to recommend that the privilege be granted providing none but refined oil is shipped through the pipe.

A resolution presented by Mr. Howard providing for the placing of the names of intersecting streets on gas lamps on Penn, Fifth and Second avenues was passed.

The ordinance referred to the Committee from Councils providing for the vacation of a portion of a township road north of Herron avenue and west of Thirty-third street, was ordered to be returned with a negative recommendation. It was also decided to favorably recommend to Councils an ordinance amending an ordinance for the opening of Beatty street, from Stanton avenue to Jackson street, so that the width of it shall be fifty instead of forty feet.

The Road Commissioners were directed by resolution to place no more broken stone on roads, except where a hole is to be filled up, unless the sub-committee of the district is consulted.

On motion adjourned.

GAS LIGHTING

The Gas Lighting Committee also held a meeting yesterday afternoon. A communication was read from Geo. A. Berry, President of the Citizens' National Bank, protesting against the sign which ornaments the lamp post in front of the bank. Mr. Berry considers it a nuisance and desires to have it removed. Some five years ago, it seems, this committee contracted with a certain party who was to pay the city a consideration of one dollar for every sign placed on the lamp posts in the city. The contract has but one more year to run, and when it expires it was decided not to renew it again.

Mr. Hays presented the following, which was passed:

Resolved, That no bill or claim against the Gas Committee shall be allowed or paid unless the same shall have been proved by the affidavit of some person having knowledge of the statements contained in such bill or claim, and said affidavit shall also state affiants means of obtaining such knowledge.

A lamp was ordered to be erected in front of the Thirtieth ward station house on Carson street.

Adjourned.

MUSICAL GOODS.

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Having an unusually large stock of small instruments, and desiring to close them out, I have marked them down to Importers New York prices. Those desiring a bargain had better call soon. Violins formerly selling at $8 offered for $4; those for $10 at $5. Fine German Accordeons, the former price of which was $15, for $7. Fine 6 and 8 keyed Flutes for $6, $8 and $12. A similar reduction on Guitars, Banjos, Drums, &c.

A large collection of instruction books for the various musical instruments, containing new and popular tunes for 35 cents a copy, formerly sold for 75 cents. Good Violin Strings for 25 cents a sett, formerly 60 cents. Guitar Strings 50 cents a sett, formerly sold for $1.

Collections of Vocal and Instrumental Music for Piano or Organ, in board covers $1 75, cloth $2.25, formerly sold for $2 50 and $3.

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12½c, A Very Large Variety of Dress Goods, many of these reduced from 25c and 30c.

At 15c, A Large Assortment of Plain and Striped Dress Goods, all at about half price.

At 25c, Some Very Choice Styles and Quality of Dress Goods, worth 50c to 62½c.

We are determined to close out our immense stock of Summer Goods during the present month, and in order to do so have made prices on them that cannot fail to be satisfactory to purchasers.

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To be totally indifferent to the opinions of others, either as regards our actions or personal appearance, is an evidence of extreme littleness, for the great charm of life consists in pleasing and being pleased. A man may be comfortably dressed and yet present an uncouth appearance, all of which can be avoided by examining and selecting your suitings from the unusually large and attractive stock of new, fashionable and desirable cloths, cassimeres and vestings, just received for the fall trade by Messrs. W. Hespenheide & Co., No. 50 Sixth street, who have not only the latest and most fashionable styles, as well as all the foreign and American novelties of manufacture, but who make suits to measure in the most fashionable styles and at exceedingly low prices. Call and take a look at the new styles in coatings, overcoatings and vestings.

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The Flitch of Bacon.

A custom prevails at Dunmow, England, of giving a flitch of bacon to the married couple who have not quarreled for a year and a day, and now Mr. Wm. Mardorff, proprietor and manufacturer of the celebrated Mardorff broom, proposes giving, on next New Year's Day, a dozen of his excellent brooms to the couple who have kept peace with each other for a year and a day. And many families will earn this gift if they but buy and use the Mardorff broom. Its use will have a tendency to preserve the wife's temper, and its effect on the household will prevent the husband's angry passions from rising. Use no other.

The Barnum Hat,
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Dr. Gale French,
DENTIST,
258 Penn avenue.

Boy's School Caps,
AT McGREGOR'S,
46 Federal street, Allegheny.

IMPROVEMENT OF THE OHIO

Meeting of the Commissioners—They Endorse the Plan for Movable Dams—Congress Again to be Applied to—Protest against any More Bridges Across the Ohio.

The Ohio River Improvement Commission held a meeting at Evansville, Indiana, on Wednesday, pursuant to call. The following were present:

Pennsylvania—Gen. J. K. Moorhead, Geo. H. Thurston, Joseph Walton.

Ohio—John A. Shank and J. G. Peebles.

Indiana—O. P. Cobb and J. A. Lemcke.

Illinois—John Gilbert, W. R. Brown and Col. Fackney.

Kentucky—Capt. L. L. Fowler.

Mr. Thurston, Chairman of the Executive Committee, reported verbally the operations of the Committee before the last Congress, and the result of their efforts.

"MOVABLE DAMS."

Col. W. E. Merrill being present by request, gave a succinct history of the improvements of the Ohio, and of researches made by General Weitzel and himself, generally obtained from German and French works. One singular fact developed was that the French had adopted Josiah White's dams on the Lehigh. Col. Merrill, by means of numerous drawings, illustrated the system of movable dams, giving full details.

At the close of his remarks the following was adopted unanimously:

WHEREAS, The Board of Commissioners for the improvement of the Ohio have, to their great gratification and satisfaction had explained to them, by Col. W. E. Merrill, U. S. Engineer in charge, from drawings made from improvements on French rivers, now in practical operation for many years, a movable dam, which in our judgment meets the demand for the improvement of the Ohio river and its tributaries; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board most heartily indorse the plan for the commencement of a radical system for the improvement of the Ohio and tributaries, proposed by Col. Merrill, and feel warranted as the representatives of the seven Ohio river States charged with the duty of inducing, soliciting and recommending a practical method for improving the navigation of the Ohio, to urge upon the Representatives in Congress of the several States we represent, to take such action as will cause the appropriation of money necessary for the work.

On motion of Mr. Walton, of Pennsylvania, John A. Shank, of Ohio, was elected permanent Secretary of the Board of Commission, vice J. V. Santmyer, whose time expires October 24, 1874.

A resolution was also passed calling upon Congress to take some action relative to such improvement of the mouth of the Mississippi, as would meet the wants of the agricultural and other interest of the country.

Also a resolution was passed for the appointment of a committee of two from each of the delegations of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois to obtain such legislation in the different States as would give the United States Government jurisdiction over such parcels of land as might be necessary for the erection of abutments, lock-keepers' dwellings, &c., wherever a dam was constructed along the Ohio.

PROTEST AGAINST BRIDGES.

Mr George H. Thurston, of this city, offerred a series of resolutions, which were adopted, strongly protesting against the proposed railroad bridge across the Ohio at Cincinnati. The principal resolution was as follows:

Resolved, That the proposed bridge alluded to will greatly increase the dangers of the navigation of the Ohio; that its construction is prejudicial to the pecuniary interests of those navigating the Ohio, and we feel called upon to protest against its construction, and ask Congress to take such action as will prevent a law, passed for the benefit of the trade of the country, being taken advantage of to improve a traffic of the nation as important to its prosperity as that of railroads.

The Commissioners, after returning thanks to their entertainers here, adjourned to meet at Washington, D. C., on October 16th.

THE RISING MAINS.

The Contract Approved Last Night by the Water Committee.

A special meeting of the Water Committee was held last night in Municipal Hall to consummate the awarding of the contract for wrought iron rising mains for the new water works, to Jared M. Brush & Co.

A communication from Messrs. N. Snyder & Co., protesting against letting the contract to the above named firm, referred to the committee by Councils, was received and filed.

Mr. Anderson moved that the awarding of the contract to J. M. Brush & Co., be finally ratified by the members of the Committee signing the necessary papers, which had been presented by the City Solicitor with the statement that they were all in proper legal form, and the sureties on the bond all right. Mr. Anderson's motion was postponed until the committee could hear the entire contract read, which was done by the clerk.

A long discussion followed the reading of the contract, numerous amendments being proposed, but none adopted, and finally it was approved as read.

In answer to the communication from the Tax-payers' Union, presented at a previous meeting, Mr. Meyran offered the following, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, A communication addressed to this committee by the Taxpayers' Union in reference to the letting of the contract for the rising mains has been received, and

WHEREAS, The said contract has been awarded after a thorough and careful consideration to Messrs. Jared M. Brush & Co., at $130,000, therefore

Resolved, That this committee feel satisfied that although the said Brush & Co. were not the lowest bidders they were undoubtedly the best bidders, and that no favoritism or partiality has been shown to any one, but that the committee has acted only in the best interests of the city.

The Superintendent was orderd to put a fire plug on Mary street, in the Twenty-fourth ward, in accordance with a petition for the same.

Mr. Robt. McClelland, who was placed temporarily in charge of Hiland avenue reservoir when Mr. Shields was discharged, was elected permanent engineer of the same.

A petition for water pipe on Clay street in the Seventeenth ward was ordered to be returned to Councils with a negative recommendation.

The committee decided to visit the pumping house foundations, which are about completed, on Wednesday next, in compliance with an invitation from the Mechanical Engineer.

On motion adjourned.

EXCITEMENT ON MARKET STREET.

Prices Way Down.

New Hamburgs at 10 and 12½c. worth double.

New Sash Ribbons at half price.
New Beaded Fringes and Gimps.
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Evening Sessions at the Iron City College, corner Penn and Sixth street, commence Monday, October 8. tf

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All styles and qualities of parlor, chamber, dining room, kitchen and office furniture, unexcelled in tasteful design and reasonable prices at the rooms of A. Ortleib & Co., 92 Diamond street, Pittsburgh. Wholesale rates as low as they can possibly be made, by employing the best and most economical machinery.

European Steamship Arrivals Yesterday.

A dispatch received at Max Schamberg's European Steamship, Exchange and Telegraph office at No. 163 Smithfield street, announces the arrival of the Steamer England, at Queenstown; Colina, at Antwerp.

The Union Bridge,

at the Point, will be opened for travel on October 1st. TTHS-S

Carriages at Reduced Prices.

Carriages, buggies and phaetons of beauty and elegance have been greatly reduced in price by Mr. H. R. Davis, who has an unusually large and well selected assortment of fine vehicles, both for business and pleasure, at his Repository, Nos. 167, 169 and 171 Penn avenue. Mr. Davis sells better carriages for less money than can be purchased at the eastern manufactories, and can offer inducements to purchasers, which cannot be had in the East. It will pay to patronize him.

The Best of Oysters and Fish.

Parties wishing to indulge in the luxury of fine Baltimore salt water oysters can be accommodated with the best in the market, by the can, quart or gallon, at the very lowest figures, by Mr. B. Pulpress, No. 45 Diamond Market, Pittsburgh, or corner of Federal and Ohio streets, Allegheny City. The oysters kept by Mr. Pulpress are unsurpassed in size, flavor and excellence. Orders for fish or oysters will receive prompt attention. Facilities for supplying parties, either at wholesale or retail, have been perfected, so that full satisfaction may be expected.

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VIEWER'S REPORTS.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Webster avenue from Kirkpatrick street to Thirty-third street.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned viewers of street improvements in the city of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1874, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Webster avenue from Kirkpatrick street to Thirty-third street, in the city of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of City Engineer, in the city of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

VIEWERS' REPORT—On opening Webster avenue from Kirkpatrick Street to Thirty-third street.

DAMAGES.

To William Alker	$ 650 00
Wm. Clay	650 00
Thos. Elgar estate	700 00
Heirs of Thos. Cashmore	250 00
Captain Darrah	300 00
Richard Parker and R. McEldowney	400 00
Margaret Herron	1,350 00
Roman Catholic Cemetery	1,150 00
W. H. Hagan	200 00
Viewers' time	120 00
Survey and plan $51.26; serving notices $12	63 26
Henry E White as an expert	5 00
	$5,838 26

BENEFITS.

John S. Shaffer	70 72
M. Rohe	15 87
B. Rohe	15 87
M. Campbell	12 70
M. McElligot	29 84
John Keenan	15 24
William Foley	15 24
I. G. Evans	25 40
Samuel Mahood	19 68
Edgars' estate	76 20
Heirs of Thomas Cashmore	15 24
Mrs. Clay	60 96
Duff's estate	65 40
I. Rapporth	19 68
Nicholas Knott	10 16
H. Kell	10 16
J. Beeler	10 16
G. Wonling	19 68
Thomas Farrar's heirs	73 02
George Swartz	64 13
William B. Hays' heirs	128 26
Guard Brick Co	167 64
Richard Parker and R. McEldowney	90 17
Captain Darrah	63 50
P. Ferguson	28 57
C. H. Love	143 51
Henry W. Oliver, Jr.	339 09
E. P. Jones	12 70
W. H. Hagan	48 89
North Side.	
Mrs. Margaret Herron	67 31
Henry W. Oliver, Jr.	341 63
William Wandless	172 08
Thomas Rourke	892 73
William B. Hays' heirs	260 35
George Swartz	133 35
Thomas Farrar's heirs	117 47
Pittsburgh Consume Co.	101 60
J. Becker	36 83
Duff's Estate	133 35
William Eiker	38 10
William Beardoll	25 40
Dennis Martin	12 70
William Clagus	25 40
Edward Bailey	25 40
—— Crosby	12 70
Pat. Lee	12 70
Roman Catholic Cemetery	242 57
Stamps	25 40
Joseph Bauerston	12 70
John Barrestorr	25 40
Pat Mooney	11 43
Jacob Roll	13 97
William Anderson	15 24
C. H. Love	39 37
Miller	12 70
S. Arnold	12 70
James McGan	50 00
Ann Ennis	70 00
J. Gammon	90 00
William Jones	100 00
J. O'Brien	20 00
R King	30 00
F. M. Johnson	40 00
Charles Guhl	50 00
Dr. A. I. Davis	900 00
	$1,761 48

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
} Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Sarah street, from Thirtieth street to city line.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned viewers of street improvements in the City of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1874, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Sarah street from Thirtieth street to city line in the City of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said Act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, make a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1874, at the office of Board of Viewers in the City of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz:

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Sarah street from Thirtieth street to the city line.

DAMAGES.

To Miss Mary McClurg, for damage to property	936 30
For well, digging and walling	80 00
For removing shed	35 00
For privey	40 00
For bake oven and wood shed	15 00
For printing ordinances and notices	15 00
For printing Viewers' Report	1 80
For Henry E. White as an expert	5 00
For plan and serving notices	29 00
For Viewers' time	45 00
	$1,202 10

BENEFITS.

P. V. & C. Railroad	1,580	30c	474 00
William Klyler	48	do	14 40
H. Gilman	48	do	14 40
Mary McClurg	1,222	do	366 60
William McClurg	1,109	do	332 70
			$1,202 10

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
} Viewers.
September 21, 1874.

MARRIED.

MORROW—DAVIS—On Thursday evening, September 17, by the Rev. J. D. Herr, Mr. E. W. MORROW and Mrs. HAL A. DAVIS, both of this city.

DIED.

CHRISTY—On Thursday night, September 24 1874, at 10 o'clock, ROBBIE, only son of Robert and Lydia A. Christy, aged eight months.

Funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, Mansfield, TO-DAY at 12 o'clock. Carriages will leave Andrew Jackman & Son's Livery Stable, at 10:30 o'clock. Train leaves Union Depot at 10:43 A. M.

TORLEY—On Thursday, September 24, 1874, ANDREW, son of Andrew and Euphemia Torley, in the 17th year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, No. 1903 Carson street, South Side, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, the 27th inst. at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WALTERS—On Friday, the 25th inst., at 6:40 P. M. SAMUEL STEELE, son of S. S. and M. A. Walters, aged 6 years, 5 months and 9 days.

Funeral will take place on SUNDAY AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, No. 130 James street, Allegheny, to proceed to Uniondale Cemetery. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

STEEN—At Spadra, Los Angelos county, California, on Tuesday, September 8, DAVID C. STEEN, in the 22d year of his age.

Funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 90 Wylie avenue, SABBATH, September 27, at 2 o'clock P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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Funerals from the city by either Rail or Carriages. Applications for Lots can be made to A. WALKER, Superintendent, at the Cemetery, or at the City Office, 187 Liberty street. J. L. MARSHALL, Secretary and Treasurer.

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JAMES E. STEVENSON........Secretary.

AMUSEMENTS.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—To-day's performances will close the first week of the engagement of Edwin Adams. That it has been brilliant and successful none of those who have visited the Opera House can doubt. The attendance at every performance has been large, Mr. Adams in every character he has essayed has sustained his reputation as a fine actor, and the stock company has proved itself in every way competent and satisfactory. At the matinee "Enoch Arden" will be produced, and in the evening "Wild Oats" and "Black Eyed Susan" will be given. Those who wish to spend an enjoyable afternoon cannot do better than visit the Opera House. On Monday the new melo-drama "Clancarty" will be produced. This piece has been given in California, and is underlined for production at Wallack's in October. Extensive preparations are being made for its production at the Opera House, and the stage mountings will be far superior to anything ever seen in this city.

BARNUM.—As the time draws near for the advent of Barnum's Monster Hippodrome, public expectation is running higher and higher. The preparations at Union Park are alone sufficient to prove the immensity of the show and the completeness with which all details are attended to. As has been stated in these columns the Hippodrome is Barnum's most wonderful feat as a showman and eclipses anything that he has ever before provided for the amusement of the public. The first exhibition will be given on Tuesday evening next and two performances will be given daily for the succeeding nine days. It is stated on the best authority that Barnum himself will be in the city during the stay of his Hippodrome, and will appear in the ring at every exhibition. A sight of the great showman will alone be worth the price charged for admission.

OPERATTA OF GENEVIEVE.—This exceedingly beautiful Operatta will be performed by the pupils of the highest department of Sherman avenue Public Schools, at Lafayette Hall, corner of Wood street and Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, September 29th and 30th. Those well known and gifted vocalists, Mrs. Eliza Grey, Miss Eliza Jackson, Prof. Z Coleman, and Prof. R. H. Moore, the distinguished pianist, will assist in its rendition.

The patronage and presence of the people of Pittsburgh, Allegheny and vicinities, are respectfully solicited.

Reserved seat tickets 40 cents each, ordinary tickets 25 cents each, child's ticket 20 cents.

S. A. NEALE, Conductor.

NOTICE—THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCE relative to Street Improvements is published for information, in accordance with the provision of section 6 of an Act of Assembly, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled an act concerning Streets and Sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved March 20th, 1873:

SECTION 6. That no Ordinance or any improvement and no report of viewers shall be finally acted upon by both branches of Councils until at least one week after its representation and publication in official papers authorized to do the city printing.

And will be presented to Councils for final action at next meeting.

AN ORDINANCE—Changing the name of High street, from Grant street to Old avenue, to Sixth avenue.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same that the name of High street, from Grant street to Old avenue, be and the same is hereby changed to Sixth avenue.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the opening of O'Hara street from Ellsworth avenue to Pennsylvania Rail Road. Whereas it appears that a majority in interest has petitioned for the opening of O'Hara street from Ellsworth avenue to Pennsylvania Rail Road, therefore

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open within sixty days from the date of the passage of this ordinance O'Hara street from Ellsworth avenue to Pennsylvania Rail Road at the width of fifty feet in accordance with Plan on file in Engineers office approved by Councils 29th day of December 1871. The damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864 and the several supplements thereto.

AN ORDINANCE—Locating Lelia street, Thirty-second ward

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same That Lelia street, Thirty second ward be and is located as follows: Commencing at Grand avenue; thence running S. 86.20 E. to Southern avenue fifty feet in width taking for the center line of said street the division line between property of S. Boggs and W. Douglass.

E. S. MORROW, Clerk.

Pittsburgh Monumental Granite Works, corner Penn avenue and Thirty-second Street.
tf ALEXANDER CASKEY.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS.

CHICAGO, September 25.—Cattle: receipts 2,000 head; market fairly active but steady at former prices; sales of Texans at $2,25@2 50; good to choice steers $5@6; stockers $3,25@3,35; shipments 1,000. Hogs; receipts 10,400; market moderately active with prices improving; the bulk of the sales were at $6,30@6,90, which was the extreme range; $5,50@7.25 for inferior to extra; shipments 11,000. Sheep: receipts 800 head; market quiet at 10@15c lower; common $2,25@3; medium $3,25@3,50; good to choice $3,75@4 25.

AMUSEMENTS.

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Masters and Misses' Class will commence SATURDAY, October 3d, at 3 o'clock P. M., with a Grand Matinee, to which all former pupils are invited. Ladies and Gentlemen's Evening Class will commence THURSDAY, October 1, at 8 o'clock P. M. There will be but two terms for juveniles and one term for gentlemen during this season, therefore it is necessary that all should commence at the opening, especially new beginners in the juvenile class. For particulars please call at the Music Stores. se18:g78

AUCTION SALES

PUBLIC SALE.
By order of the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania, the undersigned Assignee of the estate of JOHN MURPHY, a Bankrupt, will expose to public sale, on the premises,
ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH, 1874,
At 10 o'clock A. M., a lot of Store Goods, consisting of
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, &c.,
Situate in store room of said John Murphy, in Harrison City, Westmoreland co., Pa. Great bargains will be offered as the stock must be disposed of and the public are respectfully invited to attend the sale.
se16:g68 JOHN McDOWELL, Assignee.

OFFICIAL—PITTSBURGH.
CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, Sept. 23, 1874.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments for Grading Spring street from Barry street to Oak alley, Lang avenue from Penn avenue to Penna railroad, and grading, paving and curbing 25th street from Josephine street to Water street, Smallman street from 22d street to 23d street, 38th street from Penn avenue to Iron City Park, 39th street from Mary street to Liberty avenue, 47th street from Centre street to A. V. R. R., Spruce street from 31st street to 33d street, Davidson street from Main street to 42d street and Devilliers street from Bedford avenue to Rose street, are now ready for examination and correction and will remain at this office for ten (10) days when they will be returned to the City Treasurer for collection.
se23 A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

BUSINESS CHANGE
DISSOLUTION—THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between JAS. P. THOMPSON and JOHN B. FISHBURN, doing business at No. 69 Market street, has been this day dissolved, JOHN B. FISHBURN retiring. A continuation of the liberal patronage heretofore extended to the firm is requested by the proprietor.
JAMES B. THOMPSON.
SEPTEMBER 14, 1874. se21

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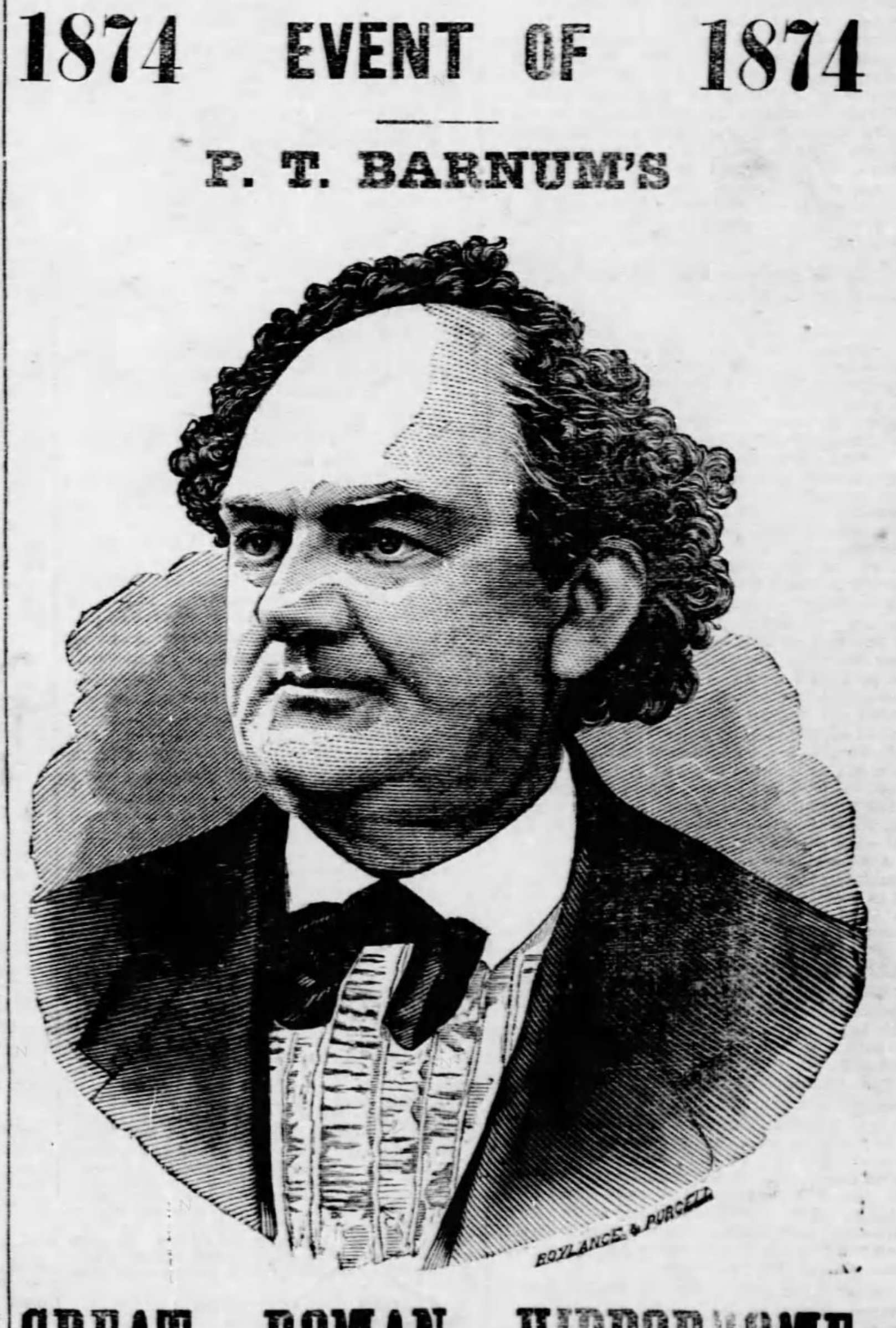

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